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14 Arm Div G-2 Journal Jan 1945  
 Jan 7-20 1945  
 BOUXWILLER (R-3124) on file

FROM : 071045 Jan 45  
 TO : 072400 Jan 45

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TIME	IN	OUT	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, OTHERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
1100		12	CCR - 10 ey tanks S of DRUSENHEIM (1518).
1105		13	G-3 - Message from Maj Owens at CCR.
	1105	14	VI Corps - PWs Taken for period 052400A to 062400A Jan 45 (TWX).
1150		15	VI Corps - STUNDWILLER now held by ey.
1255		16	G-3 - Message from Maj OWENS of CCR.
1310		17	SIAM - Message intercepts from 45th, 79th, 36th, 100th and 103rd Divs as of 1209A.
1445		18	G-3 - Message from Maj Lann of 47th Tk Bn.
1445		19	VI Corps - 1st Bn 192 PGR identified by PW, at R-1643.
1500		20	G-3 - SIAM message from 79th Div as of 071300A.
1544		21	VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 437 to include 071200A Jan 45.
1545		22	Surg - 1 PW thru clearing station on 6 Jan 45.
1550		23	SIAM - News, Noon Edition.
1635		24	SIAM - Message intercept from 2nd French Corps.
1705		25	G-3 - Message from Maj OWENS of CCR.
1710		26	VI Corps - Ey parole and countersign captured (TWX).
1715		27	SIAM - Message intercepts from 44th, 36th, 79th, as of 1520A.
	1730	28	Distributed G-2 Intelligence Summary No 33 as of 7 Jan 45.
1745		29	G-3 - Report of Capt Gaylord.
1750		30	G-3 - CCA CP to move to R-069357 at 1530A.
1830		31	G-3 - Report of Maj Lann from 47th Tk Bn.
1930		32	G-3 - SIAM intercept messages from 44th, 36th, and 79th.
1950		33	SIAM - Message intercept from 79th as of 1800A.
2030		34	VI Corps - 79th Div repulsed 5 ey C/As today.
2050		35	Div Arty -313 th Inf estimates 3 to 4 ey bns oppose them vic REIPERTSWILLER.
2140		36	G-3 - Message from Maj Owens of CCR.
2140		37	VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 438 as of 7 Jan 1800.
2320		38	SIAM - Evening Edition of News, 7 Jan 45.



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TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME LATER	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
0145		1		94th - Few rounds enemy arty fire falling at 814306 at 0030.
0345		2		Div Arty - Daily Periodic Report No 35, 7 Jan 45.
0800		3		G-3 - G-3 Report No 7 080100 Jan 45.
0800		4		G-3 - CCB, CCR, Div Arty alerted.
0800		5		Weather Forecast, for 9 Jan 45.
0830		6		Twx - G-2 ISUMS from 45th and 79th Divs as of 080600A Jan 45.
0830		7		Staff - Password for period 081159 to 091159 Jan 45.
0912		8		SIAM - Message intercepts from 3rd Div, 45th Div, 79th Div, 36th Div as of 0145A.
0920		9		IPW - Division Interrogation Report for period 062400 to 072400 Jan 45.
1035		10		G-3 - SIAM message intercept from 79th Div.
1100		11		G-3 - SIAM message intercepts from 79th and 36th Divs.
1120		12		G-3 - SIAM message intercept from 100th Div.
1130		13		G-3 - At 1035A tk dug in at 803342.
1145		14		G-3 - SIAM message intercept from 103rd and 79th Divs.
1300		15		G-3 - Report of Maj Lyster from CCA.
1325		16		G-3 - SIAM message intercept from 3rd and 36th Divs.
1400		17		Div Arty - Report of Maj Herter.
1420		18		SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div.
1510		19		G-3 - SIAM message intercept from 44th Div.
1600		20		G-3 - SIAM message intercept from 45th Div.
1600		21		G-3 - Report of Maj Hines.
1600		22		94th - Overlay showing check points.
	1618	23		Distributed Intelligence Summary No 34, 8 Jan 45.
1645		24		Twx - G-2 ISUMS from 45th and 79th Divs as of 081200A.
1650		25		SIAM - Noon Edition of News.
1850		26		G-3 - Report of Capt Bachle.
1915		27		CCB - At 1800 check pts 1 to 8 inclusive cleared.
2030		28		G-3 - A-47 and A-25 reported in MULHAUSEN.
2105		29		G-3 - Info from Ln O 19 AIB.
2115		30		Twx - G-2 ISUMS from 45th and 79th Divs as of 081800A.
2130		31		VI Corps - Nothing new on 45th sector.
2220		32		CCB - Following pts clear.



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TIME		SERIAL NO.	LAYER	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
2340		33		SIAM - Evening Edition of News.
9 January 1945				
0425		1		Div Arty - Daily Periodic Report No 36, 8 Jan 45.
0610		2		CCB - Check pts cleared.
0610		3		CCB - Check pts cleared.
0610		4		G-3 - G-3 Report No 8 090100 Jan 45.
0735		5		CCB - 25th reports Arty falling INGWILLER at 2215.
0745		6		94 - Check pts cleared as of 090745A.
	0800	7		STAFF - Password for period 091159 to 101159 Jan 45.
0950		8		TWX - G-2 ISUMS from 45th and 79th Divs as of 090600A Jan 45.
0945		9		IPW - Div Interrogation Report for period 072400 to 082400 Jan.
	0945	10		VI Corps - TWX on PW's for 072400 to 082400 Jan 45.
1100		11		CCB - Check pts clear as follows.
1110		12		CCB - Following pts clear.
1135		13		G-3 - Report of Capt Cardinal.
	1145	14		Units - Password for period 121200, to 151159 Jan 45.
1150		15		G-3 (94th) - CP of D-94 is at WEYERSHEIM.
1240		16		VI Corps - OB Information.
1245		17		CCB - Report of recon.
1400		18		G-3 - (SIAM) - Message Intercepts from 36th at 1200 & 1215
1410		19		G-3 ( 94 ) - D- Troop being relieved and returned to 94th.
1430		20		G-3 - SIAM - Message intercept from 45th Div at 1130
1430		21		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercepts from 3rd Div.
1435		22		CCA - 5 tks at 188328 at 0925.
1500		23		VI Corps - Build up of ey inf and armor in OBERODERN - HATTEN NIEDERODERN area at 1330.
1515		24		G-3 - (VI Corps) - Germans attacked at Hatten shortly after noon today.
1515		25		G-3 (Capt Blackwell) - report on CCA.
1515		26		Div Arty - Report of air activity over LICHTENBERG.
1515		27		G-3 (SIAM) - report of 79th Div at 1258.
1525		28		G-3 - (VI Corps) - A-25 will be returned today.
1530		29		SIAM - News noon edition 9 Jan 45.
1530		30		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No. 443 to include 091200 Jan 45.



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TO : 100825A Jan 45;

TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, REPORTS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
1540		31		CCB - (48th) - Report on check points.
1615		32		7th Army - Tactical recon directive 6 Jan 1945. (TWX)
1620		33		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercepts from 79th Div at 1300 & 1450 & 45th Div at 1230.
1620		34		VI Corps - Little definite information on Hatten attack.
	1700	35		Distributed G-2 Intel ligence Sumary No. 35 9 Jan 45
1715		36		G-3(SIAM) - Message intercept from 3rd Div at 1520.
1730		37		G-3 (94th) - Tr. D closed in DIRRWILLER at 1630.
1730		38		G-3 (Capt Blackwell) Attack on HATTEN believed broken up.
1730		39		Div Arty - 45th attack started this mornig in REIPERTSWILLER area
1745		40		G-3 (CCB) - Co A-25, back under CCB control.
1750		41		CCB - Check No. 24 has been canceled.
1800		42		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercept from 100th Div at 1640.
1830		43		CCB - Report on check points.
1905		44		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercepts from 100th Div at 1200A & 1635A.
1920		45		SIAM - Message intercept from 44th Div at 1300.
1935		46		G-3 (SIA M) - Message intercepts from 103rd Div at 0925 & 79th Div at 1645
2130		47		G-2 - Identifications in PHILLIPPSBOURG & CLEEBURG.
2155		48		Lt de La Garde- Information from 3 DMI.
2155		49		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercepts from 100th Div at 2130
2205		50		TWX - G-2 ISUMS as of 091800 from 45th & 79th Divs.
2210		51		SIAM - Message intercepts from 36th Div at 2132 & 100th Div at 2026
2310		52		G-3 -(CCA) - A -48th tk Bn and recon tp C-94 engaged ey tks & inf immediately south of RITTERSHOFFEN
2335		53		CCA - Report of Days activity in RITTERSHOFFEN & HATTEN.
<u>10 Jan 1945:</u>				
0130		1		SIAM - News edition, evening 9 Jan 45.
0130		2		Div Arty - Daily periodic report No. 37 091800 Jan 45.
0500		3		CCB - Report of check pts and arty activity.
0815		4		G-3 - G-3 report No. 9, 100100 Jan 45.
0815		5		CCB - Report of Check Pts and arty activity.
	0825	6		Staff - Password for period 101200 to 111159. Jan 45.



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TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ETC., DELIVERIES, ETC.
IN	OUT			
0835		7		TWX - G-2 ISUMS as of 100600A Jan 45 from 79th, and 45th Divs.
0900		8		CCB - 14 Med arty shells landed N of INGSWILLER between 0020 & 0100
0930		9		CCB - Report on check points & ey tks.
1010		10		IPW - Divginterro ation report for period 082400 to 092400 Jan 45.
1010		11		SIAM - Message intercepts from 45th Div at 2000, 3rd Div at 2045 & 45th Div at 2230.
1115		12		G-3 (CCR) - B-47 Had two C/As last nite which were repulsed.
1130		13		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No. 445 as of 100600A Jan 45.
1155		14		CCB - Report on check points.
1250		15		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercepts from 45th Div at 0800, 36th Div at 0830, 45th Div at 0905 & 44th Div at 0845.
1305		16		CCB - 1 P-47 with German markings s raffed MULHAUSEN.
1330		17		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercepts from 36th Div at 1130 & 44th Div at 1130
1335		18		CCB - Plane crashed vic 875314.
1400		19		SIAM - Message intercepts from 45th Div at 1355 and 79th Div at 1200
1445		20		Div Arty - 313th Pinned down vic 794387. P-47 strafed MUHLHAUSEN
1445		21		G-3 - Report of visit of Maj Hines and Capt Phillips to Hq CCA 101000 Jan 45
1500		22		G-3 - Report by Maj Lyster on visit to 19 AIB from 1100 to 1230 10 Jan 45
1515		23		CCB - Report on check points.
1530		24		TWX - G-2 ISUMS as of 101200A Jan 45 from 45th & 79th Divs.
1540		25		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercepts from 100th div at 1210, 36th Div at 1315 & 103rd Div at 1020.
1620		26		SIAM - Message intercepts from 45th Div at 1200, 103 Div 1010 & 79th Div at 1502.
1630		27		G-3 (SIAM) - Message intercept from 45th Div at 1230.
1730		28		TWX - G-2 ISUMS as of 101200 from 45 & 79th Divs.
1730		29		SIAM - News nood edition 10 Jan 45.
1730	1730	30		Distributed G-2 Intelligence Summary No. 36 10 Jan 45.
1730		31		SIAM - Message intercept from 79 Div.
1950		32		SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div.
2000		33		TWX - G-2 ISUMS as of 101800 Jan 45 from 45th & 79 Divs.



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TO : 111430A Jan 45

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TIME	IN	CUT	TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, REPORTS, ETC.
			TIME	
			DAY	
2010		34		G-3 (CCA) - In the attk on HATTEN this afternoon by the 4th tk Bn, 3 of our tks were knocked out.
2050		35		SIAM - Message intercepts from 79th Div at 1805 & 45th Div at 1730
2121		36		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 447 to include 101800A Jan 45.
2121		37		VI Corps - 15th Co. 11 SS Mtn Regt ident. in REIPERTSWILLER.
2150		38		SIAM - Message intercepts from the 45th Division at 1730 and 3rd Division at 1830A.
2235		39		Div Arty - Heavy resistance, SA and AW coming from high ground Q795393.
2350		40		SIAM - News evening edition 10 January 1945.
2355		41		CCB - Report on check points.
2355		42		G-3 - Report of Captain Gaylord 10 Jan 45.
<u>11 January 1945:</u>				
0320		1		CCB - Shell report from the 94th and report on check points.
0505		2		CCB - Report on check points
0615		3		G-3 - G-3 report No 10, 110100 Jan 45
0615		4		G-3 - (CCB) - Report on check points.
0830		5		STAFF - Distributed pass-word for period 111200 to 121159. Jan 45
0845		6		IPW - Div interrogation report for period 092400 to 102400 Jan 45.
0845		7		Div arty - Daily periodic report number 38, 101800 Jan 45
0950		8		VI Corps - PW's taken by 14th AD 10 January 45 (TWX)
0950		9		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 448 to include 110600A Jan 45.
0950		10		G-3 (CCA) - Germans hold northern of HATTEN
0950		11		VI Corps - Enemy attacking vicinity REIPERTSWILLER since 0700.
0950		12		SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div.
0950		13		VI Corps - Some fighting going on vicinity RITTERSHOFFEN
0950		14		SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div at 2140.
1040		15		G-3 - Operations instruction No. 8, 110810 Jan 45.
1135		16		TWX - G-2 ISUM as of 110600A from 79th & 45th Divisions.
1400		17		Div Arty - Ey C/A at 0715 this morning just N of WILDENGUTH 7838
1430		18		TWX - G-2 ISUMS as of 111200A from 79th and 45th Divisions.
1430		19		CP Closed BOUXWILLER and opened MORSBRONN les BAINS.



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TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
1600		20		Report on visit to CP's of CCA and TF WAHL
1610		21		SI AM - Message intercept from 45 Div
1745		22		CCB - Report from recon patrol of CCB
1830		23		G-3 - OI to CCR and 94 Cav.
1845		24		G-3 - Rcn out ninight
	1845	25		Dist intelligence Summary No 37.
1930		26		G-3 Report of Capt Gaylord
2050		27		Div A rty - Div arty closed 2005A in KUTZENHOUSEN
2100		28		G-2 ISUM from VI CORPS, No 450 to inc 111800A Jan 45.
2100		29		94 - B troops will take over patrols from NIDERBRONN
2200		30		TWX - G-2 ISUMS from 45 and 79 Div as of 1800A
2200		31		CCA - NIEDERBETSCHDORF receiving arty fire.
2200		32		G-3 Report of activity from CCA
2240		33		Div Arty - Report on 500 A FA.

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IN	OUT				
0730		1		G-3 - Report #11 as of 112400 Jan 45. & OI #9.	
0825		2		VI Corps - Weather Forecast for 13, 14 Jan 45.	
	0830	3		Sent out Parole and Countersign for today.	
	0830	4		Maj Simonini went to CCA.	
0835		5		G-3 - (Fr 48) - No evidence of infiltration.	
0835		6		7A - PWB Bulletin No 98, News, 10 Jan 45.	
0855		7	0845	G-3 - 94th CP closed in town requested. Phone thru Follet.	
0855		8	0845	G-3 - CCB opened advance CP at HOHWILLER. Col Lucas with Div Qndr in SURBOURG. Road condition very poor. Leading elms in posn for atk.	
0950		9		VI Corps - Enemy held all but SW part of HATTEN last night. 1 Bn of 79 surrounded there. More ident <del>xxx</del> 1st Bn 937 Inf Regt of 245 Inf Div at CLEEBURG (R-1144). Pressure still strong in REIPERTSWILLER area. PWs state new SS Div is coming into that area. WILDENGUTH received 1500 rds arty and mortar fire from 0900 to 2000 yesterday. Some shell fragments in GS Q-9435 ident as 210mm.	
1000		10		Div Arty - Daily Periodic Rpt #39, 111890.	
1005		11	0930	G-3 - General wants Rcn instituted on SOULTZ - INGOLSHEIM road and W and E behind friendly trps.	
1005		12	0940	G-3 - CCB reported that CP advance crossed RL 1 at 0915. 25th not closed yet. 62nd closed and ready to jump off. 94th given permission to move remainder of Sq into GUNSTETT.	
1015		13		VI Corps - G-2 IDUM No 451 to incl 120600.	
1050		14		Major Simonini (CCA) - Report of action up to 1015.(S, CCA, Res).	
1100		15		G-3 (CCR) - CCR closed vic HOELSCHLOCH 1030.	
1115		16		G-3 (Gen Smith) - Gen Smith called to inform Col Hill that CCA's attack was not progressing rapidly enough and that CCB was to be committed at 1130. Arty coordinated.	
1125		17		36th Div - G-2 Periodic Report No. 336, as of 102400 Jan 45.	
1140		18		79th Div - G-2 Periodic Report No. 185, as of 112400 Jan 45.	
1230	1230	19		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM as of 121200A Jan 45.	
1240		20		Maj Simonini - CCA - AT gun fired on us from 1623361	
1250		21		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 449 to include 111200 Jan 45.	
1255		22		G-3 (Capt Kingsley) - CCB jumped off at 1130.	



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IN	OUT				
1300		23		G-4 - G-4 Daily Memo No. 37, 12 Jan 45.	
1330		24	1245	G-3 - At 1240 Inf of CCB was on ridge N of KUHLENDORF and continuing atk. One tk Co in close support. CCA had made contact with friendly Inf in RITTERSHOFFEN Arty fire falling throughout area. (Fr CO, 125)	
			1252	25th crossed LD at 1150. (Fr CCB)	
1335		25		Div Arty - 499th observer reported enemy tanks at 154341, number not specified, at 1300.	
1350		26	1345	G-3 - 62d is 1000yds past LD. One friendly tk KO'd on R flank. Moving mortars to cover it. Ey tks reported edge of RITTERSHOFFEN. Our Inf bn in town taking care of them. Considerable arty fell 200 to 300 yds behind and on LD at 1300. Apparently observed. C-62 hit heavily. CO, 62d hit and being evacuated. 25th crossed LD 1158.	
1410		27	1230	SIAM - 103 Div - 50 refugees picked up in MUSTANG zone report the following. 200 trps in PETIT-ROSSELL trenches between 355678 and 364650 along RR. Road block at 395678, 3 105mm guns at 380684.	
1425		28	1425	G-3 - 25th passed thru 62d at 1315. Lt arty 400 yds E of HOHWILLER and along road from SOULTZ to HOHWILLER.	
1430		29	1430	Maj Simonini (Adv CP)- Medium artillery falling about 400 yards east of HOHWILLER At 1345. A-94th drew small arms fire at 171355. They drew artillery fire when they tried to withdraw at 1330. Half way on road between RITTERSHOFFEN and HATTEN a thousand yards west of the road 3 German tanks. AOP is adjusting artillery on them.	
1445		30	1310	SIAM - 79th Div - CCB 14th has joined the attack on enemy vic RITTERSHOFFEN. Enemy has strong point vic cemetery 161337. Several enemy tanks operating that sector. Our troops receiving hvy Arty. Heavy traffic reported 1640 at 1030. Tanks heard vic INGOLSHEIM (1441).	
1450		31		G-3 - 500th AFA 1425 reports 68th in middle of RITTERSHOFFEN trying to take strong point around church.	
1510		32		SIAM - 79th - 1402 - Patrols found ey occupying dug-in posns on E bank canal SW of HERRLISHEIM (1214) Bridge at 186202 found mined and defended. - 45th - 1425 - SA and MG fire received from vic 7938 where ey Co is dug-in. 105 reported at 9543. REIPERTSWILLER and WILDENGUTH rec'd 80 and 120 mortar.	
1515		33		CCA - AT gun at 162345. 48th pinned down in SW part of RITTERSHOFFEN. Ey shelling road RITTERSHOFFEN to HATTEN.	
1515		34		Capt Phillips left CP to visit 12th AD.	
1525		35		500 FA - 68th house to house fighting in RITTERSHOFFEN. Ey strongpoint in church in center of town. No tanks reported in town.	



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IN	OUT				
1540		36		SIAM - Intercept from 45th Div.	
1545		37		SIAM - News sheet.	
1555		38		Engr - Route Condition overlay.	
1555		39		14 A D - Special Orders No 9, 11 January 45.	
1555		40		Surg - No PW's thru Div Clr Sta 11 Jan 45.	
1550		41		Adv CP - Ey 88 and 2 MGs located at 158342 knocked out 2 tanks of C-25 and 1 tank B-25.	
1555		42		CCB - A-94 at Report line 4 at 1530.	
1615		43		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 542 to incl 121200A.	
1615		44		G-3 - Report from CCB and Capt Cardinal on our posns in atk on RITTERSHOFFEN.	
1630		45		Hq Comndt - Memo on parking vehicles.	
1700		46		SIAM - 100Div - 5 Ey observed occupying OP at 994564 about 1435. MG fire, snipers at 756475. Friendly OP reports 2 vehicles parked in woods 756484.	
1705		47	1630	CCA Major Simonini - CCA now in RITTERSHOFFEN mopping up. Destroyed AT gun confronting. 25 Tk Bn. Enemy mortars at 175345, behind pillbox.	
1735		48		Capt Philips returned to CP.	
1740		49	1630	SIAM 79 Inf - 79 Recon killed two of five men patrol along RR track between RUNTZENHEIM (1924) and AVENHEIM (2023). Heavy fighting continues vic RITTERSHOFFEN. Our tanks reported vic 1734 receiving heavy enemy arty fire. Enemy dug in vic 104135. Recd 1630	
1740		50	1740	Maj Simonini - 20mm AA gun vic RITTERSHOFFEN. 2 Mk IV & 1 Mk VI fired on by friendly Arty.	
1745		51		VI Corps - ISUMs from 45 and 79 Divs. As of 121200A	
1745	1745	52		Distributed Intelligence Summary #38, 12 Jan 45.	
1840		53	1840	315 Inf thru CCB - At 1825, e ey tks moving E, S of HATTEN. 2 yellow flares observed over HATTEN.	
	1855	54		Sent G-2 ISUM as of 121800 to VI Corps.	
1855		55	1845	CCB - Strong AT fire from vic HATTEN. Hvy Arty fire coming from STUNDWILLER.	
1910		56	1900	CCB - 62d about 330 yds NW of HATTEN dug in.	
2035		57	2025	SIAM 45 Div - 179 Inf in ALTHORN.	

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TIME		SERIAL NO.	TUE TUESDAY	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
2045		58		7 Army - Circular No. 1, <u>BATTLE CASUALTY REPORTS</u>
2045		59		7 Army - "The President's Message to Congress"
2045		60		7 Army - Bulletin Number 4, 10 Jan 45.
2050		61		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Report No 150 to inc 112400A Jan 45
2145		62		VI Corps - ISUM No 453, to inc 121800A Jan 45
2145		63		G-3 General picture as given to Lt Floto, G-3 VI Corps
2200		64		A-94 thru CCB - AT fire rec'd R-1831. Tks at R-1733. Heavy traffic on HATTEN-KESSELDORF road.
2210		65		VI Corps - ISUMs from 79 Div, 45 Div, and 14 AD to inc 121800A.
2230		66		G-3 - A -94 is to be released from assignment CCB and assigned to CCR. F-94 will not be committed except on Divisional order.
2330		67		SIAM - News report as of 2000A 12 Jan 45
2330		68		398 AAA AW - Daily Action Report to inc 102400A Jan 45
2345		69		G-3 - OPERATIONS INSTRUCTIONS NO 10, 122000A Jan 45
2350		70		7 Army - Weather fo recast for 14 Jan 45
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0100		1		Maj Simonini - <u>GENERAL SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS</u> 12 Jan 45
0120		2		CCB S-2 - S-2 Periodic Report No 18 to inc 122400A Jan 45
0230		3		G-3 - CCR plans to start moving at 0300A; 19th first, followed by 47th.
0430		4		G-3 CCR reports 1 Co 19 AIB and 1 platoon 47 Tk closed at 0415A
0600		5		G-3 CCR closed in assembly area 0540A. Would be ready to attack on time.
	0730	6		G-2 ISUM as of 130600A Jan 45 to VI Corps
0730		7	2300	VI Corps - <del>My</del> active in REIPERTSWILLER. <sup>area</sup> Two C/A's going on N of REIPERTSWILLER. Bridgehead area quiet.
0810		8		79th Div, 14th AD, 45th Div - G-2 ISUMs as of 130600A Jan 45.
0850		9		IPW - Report for Period 10 Jan 2400 to 11 Jan 2400.
0850		10		IPW - Report for Period 11 Jan 2400 to 12 Jan 2400.
0900		11		G-3 (Adv CP) - CCA and CCR jumped off 0800. At 0755 CCB reported preparatory fires commencing 0745. At 0815 CCA reported started attack on time except 3d 315th from whom there has been no report. At 0820 CCR reported the attack commencing on time and receiving S/A fire on left flank. At 0822 CCB reported 62d and 25th firing a mission on HATTEN from 0810 to 0830.
0915		12		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 354 to include 130600A Jan 45.
	0915	13		Sent out Parole and Countersign for today.
0915		14		G-3 - Report #12, as of 122400A Jan 45.



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TO : 131500A Jan 45

TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME GATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
1025		15	0855	G-3 - Lt Arty fire on 62d. CCB casualty rpt as of 0800.
1025		16	1000	G-3 - CCR about 300 yds S HATTEN 085 2--ready to assault.
1030		17	1030	SIAM - 79 Div - OP 2nd Bn, 314 Inf forced to withdraw.
1035		18	1035	SIAM - 4 5 Div - Continuing Arty, Tk, mortar fire left zone of sector during night. 30-manatk at 7639 repulsed by 179th.
1040		19		War Office - Enemy Sabotage Equipment (Identification)
1040		20		7A - CSDIC Reports #684, 685, 686.
1040		21		7A - Information Bulletin #44 (2 copies)
1040		22		7A - G-2 Report #150 as of 112400A. (2 copies)
1040		23		45 Div - G-2 Report #138 as of 112400A.
1040		24		100 Div - G-2 Periodic Rpt as of 112200A, #56.
1040		25		36 Div - G-2 Periodic R pt #337 as of 112200A.
1040		26		7A PWB - Frontbrief No 15.
1045		27		G-3 - 68 moving slowly in town. 48 working into S of town.
1050		28		G-3 - CCB moving to assault W edge of HATTEN at 0935.
1210		29		SIXTH ARMY GROUP- Parole and Countersign List #20
1210		30		35th AAA Brigade- Intelligence Bulletin #1
1210		31		G-3 - 94- closed MORSEBRONN at 1130
1210		32	1105	Capt Phillips - Reports from CCA, CCR, CCB from 0830 to 1045.
1215		33	1215	Capt Phillips - Reports from CCA, CCR, CCB, from 1058 to 1200.
1215		34	1235	VI Corps - G-2 ISUM as of 131200A.
1250		35	1045	SIAM - 79th Div - Much traffic on BUHL (1935) HATTEN road during night, our situation in RITTERSHOFFEN and HATTEN unchanged. Ey tk movement in that vic taken under fire and our units in contact. Received harassing arty fire. Patrols 3 Bn 313 Inf found bridge at 180349 in tact and guarded. Our arty destroyed it, about 0615A, continued as they tried to repair it.
1250		36	1035	SIAM - 36th Div - No report of any enemy activity. Received 150 rounds med arty on Q-7541 at 0445. FW report 10 - 210mm guns observed moving S from WALDHAUSSEN Q-8059. On 11 Jan 6 ey flares seen vic Q-7543. Patrols heard lite mortar and S/A fire Q-7543 at 0400A.
1250		37		Distributed G-2 Period Rpt #13 as of 122400.
1315		38		G-4 - Daily Memo #38 as of 13 Jan 45.
1345		39	1345	Col Miller (Adv G-2)- - Ey Inf dug in at R-178331. Ey MG at R-186326. CCB posns and CP strafed by ey a/c at 1225 and 1234A. Ey AT fire on our tks at R-160345.
1350		40	1350	G-3 - 19th forced to withdraw. Will atk HATTEN at 1400.
1420		41	1420	SIAM - Msgs from 79, 45, 3 Divs.
1430		42		14 AD - Memos on Mess and baths.
1500		43	1500	SIAM - Message from 79th Div.



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TO : 132035A Jan 45

TIME IN	TIME OUT	SND- IAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
1520		44	1520	SIAM - Message from 100th Div.
1525		45		7A - Bulletin #5, 11 Jan 45.
1525		46		EFO - GO #127, 15 Dec 44.
1525		47		79 Div - G-2 Report #186 as of 122200 Jan 45.
1525		48		14 AD - Bulletin #2, 12 Jan 45
1525		49		14 AD - SO #10, 12 Jan 45.
1525		50		7A - PWB - Bulletin #99, Jan 11, 1945. (4 copies)
1530		51		G-3 - Messages recd from advanced CP at 1430.
1630		52	1630	SIAM - Message from 79th Div.
1630		53		Div Arty - Daily Periodic Rpt #40 as of 121800.
1645		54		SIAM - Noon edition of News.
1750		55		Capt Phillips called about maps for CCB
1800		56		Report from Col Miller at Advance CP.
1810		57		94 - Ey inf observed loading into H/T vic STUNDWILLER this after- noon. Ey tk S of STUNDWILLER was holding up our attack, believed KO'd by arty fire. Fighting N and E of HUNSBACH.
1845		58		G-3 - A, B, and C of 19th reported in W end of HATTEN at 1830
1845		59		Report of Col Karlstad upon return from 68th,
1845		60		Report from Col Miller at 1840
1900	1900	61		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM as of 131800A Jan 45.
1925		62		Capt Phillips - CCB- 1900 - One white flare reported NW of CP at 1845. CCB - 1915 - Enemy vehicular movement sounding like tanks was heard vic 162347 at 1850A, by 62nd observer. They were fired on by 499th. Direction of movement was not determined.
1945		63		Sig O - Wire Traffic Diagram.
2000		64		G-3 - Report from Command Posts, Report of Capt. Gaylord on CCB at 0930, Report of Capt. Gaylord from 1300-1340, 13 Jan 45, Report from CCB by Capt. Kingsley.
2025		65		94th - Information from Regt Hq. 222nd Inf, 1700 13 Jan 45.
2025		66		45th Div - G-2 Periodic Report No. 139, 13 Jan 45.
2035		67		7 A - Amendments No. 12, Jan 45.
2035		68		7 A - Amendments No. 10, Assault Gun Units, Dec 44.
2035		69		7 a - Dumps and MP Installations, 12 Jan 45.
2035		70		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Report No. 151, 130800A Jan 45. (2 copies)
2035		71		AFHQ - Intelligence Notes No. 89, 2 Jan 45.
2035		72		7 A - Note, 12 Jan 45. (2 copies)
2035		73		7 A - G-2 Report No. 151, 130600A Jan 45. (2 copies)



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TIME IN	TIME OUT	SR NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
2045		74	2045	Capt Phillips - C/A at 1700 consisting of 60 ey repulsed. 12 man ey patrol coming down from NE into RITTERSHOFFEN destroyed.
2100		75	2025	SIAM (179th Div) - 179th 1st Bn continued attack against stiff resistance. Now at 763393, 764386, 761398. 2nd Bn received light S/A and mortar.
2115		76		IPW Report #1, CCA 14th, 12 Jan 45.
2115		77		IPW Report #2, CCA 14th, 12 Jan 45.
2115		78		IPW Tabulation, CCA, 12 Jan 45.
2125		79		Div Arty - Situation Overlay as of 131600 Jan 45.
2150		80		VI Corps - ISUM No 456 to include 131800A Jan 45.
2210		81		G-3 - Thru CCR- CCR reported C/Atk from Hatten towards Rittershoffen at about 2115. CCB reported C/Atk Vic Rittershoffen.
2215		82		SIAM (45th Div) - 157th 2nd Bn 8238, 8237, 8338. 180th continuing attack against heavy S/A and PAC guns. Considerable arty estimated 105 being received in 3 Bn 276 Inf. 179 3rd Bn 760342, 756397, and 753398.
2210		83		G-3 - CO 94th notified of C/A and ordered to place Tr F on alert. 48th reports ey entering RITTERSHOFFEN with flame throwing tks and inf. Our inf in E end of town have been driven from houses and were reorganizing behind 48 tks which are holding. 48 calling for all possible arty on E edge RITTERSHOFFEN. Do not believe ey got more than 100 yds W of church. Report vehicles going N and NW towards OBEROEDERN from RITTERSHOFFEN.
2220		84		CCA - 2030 - 48th reports enemy tanks moving around in NE and S part of RITTERSHOFFEN at 1930. Elements of 48th E of RITTERSHOFFEN observed white flares their vicinity at 2115.
2250		85		SIAM (36th Div) - Approx 100 paratroopers dropped vic DIEMERINGEN (Q-597381) at 1930A. Reported by 753 T. D. Bn.
		86		G-3 Capt Kingsley Adv CP) - Div arty and CCA report that they believe C/A temporarily halted. Belief based on fact that FO's had asked that arty fire be lifted.
		87		Capt Phillips reporting the C/A 68th k.o.'d three enemy tanks, the artillery got one and the 48th got one. 48th receiving intense arty fire in RITTERSHOFFEN at 2320. They are countering with same. At 2340 48th reports enemy tanks moving W from HATTEN to RITTERSHOFFEN. The arty firing on them.
2355		88		G-3 - Operations Instructions #11, 132000 Jan 45.

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G-2 Journal 13 Jan 45, Sheet 1.

- CCA - 0830: SA and mortar fire at 158339 at 0830A. 10 rds Arty and mortar fire SW of RITTERSHOFFEN at 152332 and a few rds fell at 163333. SA fire in RITTERSHOFFEN between 0815A and 0840A.
- CCR - 1000: Ey Arty fire coming from 163338 (?). One ey tk KO'd and (1) other probable. (by C-47). Mortar fire coming from HATTEN. Our tks in firing position to fire into town.
- CCB - 1030: Entrenched ey positions at 179332 N along the road for 100 yds. MGs and AT guns at 185353. (Fired on)
- CCR - 1030: 3 of our tks KO'd S of the RR S of HATTEN. Ey Inf dug in at church in HATTEN (180336). Ey MG at 171355.
- CCA - 1040: Ey tk in W edge of RITTERSHOFFEN hit 4 times by our 75mm, possibly KO'd. 1 ey H/T KO'd in town. Slight resistance to attack of Fondel. Fool unit still receiving SA fire. Sniper fire still along road W edge of town vic 157339. Had sniper fire here all night.
- CCA - 1045: Road between RITTERSHOFFEN and HATTEN cut by our forces.
- CCB - 1055: Ey AT gun at 171355. (Fired on).
- CCA - 1058: German tks in RITTERSHOFFEN attempting to break out to the E to HATTEN. Ey H/T hit and burned at RJ 158339. Ey SP hit same coordinates.
- CCR - 1100: 2 large cal guns, tractor drawn moved into HATTEN this morning from the SE along the HATTEN -- KESSELDORF Rd. Large cal gun behind pill box at 182330. Has not fired yet. Time 1100A. Reliable civilian reports: Ey armor assembly area NW of SELTZ in the 2633 G.S. 400 ey at SELTZ, 20 ey in KESSELDORF, 100 ey in BENHEIM (255295), 100 ey in FROSTFIELD.
- CCB - 1100: Ey Inf and light vehicles at 179342 - AOP - Arty fired on them. As CCB jumped off at 0855, small amt Arty hit 62 vic 158345 -- 157360 and considerable arty on C/25 at 154353. Burp gun firing vic church in RITTERSHOFFEN.
- CCA - 1045: Ey AT gun at cemetery at 161337 -- reported by 48 at 1010A. KO'd one of our tks. Smoke laid for CCR blanketed line S to forest. Visibility fair by 1010A.
- CCA - 1045: 48 received MG fire on SE edge RITTERSHOFFEN at about 0845A. 68 rptd 4 dead Germans in US uniforms in RITTERSHOFFEN. Armstrong trying to verify. Should know tonight. Suspected ey cut in on CCA radio channels, answered for 68. Considerable Arty falling in area vic 170330 at 1030A.
- Col Vance - 1100: Ey interdicting CRs vic SOULTZ and forward at 0500A. 5 to 8 rds each town and CR. Harassing fire throughout area all morning.



G-2 Journal 13 Jan 45, Sheet 2.

- CCA - 1045: PW Info: Remnants II/125 PGR in RITTERSHOFFEN. About 120 men total (2 Cos). Will fight to last man. Bn attacked morning of 11 Jan from HATTEN supported by 20 SP guns, 14 of which withdrew by noon. Mission to clear RITTERSHOFFEN.
- CCR - 1230: Ey Inf dug in at 178331. 2 ey MGs at 186326. 3 jet planes now over our area - diving, possibly strafing. 3 bombs dropped in NIEDERBETSCHDORF.
- CCB - 1245: Our positions and CP strafed by ey aircraft approx (6) at 1225A and 1234A. "C" Co 25th Tk Bn withdrew to LD after ey AT fire hit them at 160345 from high ground at 165395 (?) KO'd (2) of our tks. 62nd OP hit by mortar and Arty fire cutting communications between OP and Fwd CP. Fire coming from vic HATTEN at 1115A.
- CCB - 1200: Ey Inf at 178331. Our Arty fired on them. 47th Bn tks pinned down at 167331 by AT fire coming from vic 178330.
- CCR - 1310: Ey Arty, SA and mortar very severe at 179331.
- Adv CP - 1315: Jet plane over SURBOURG now. Jet plane was over here 1245A. No report yet on bombs being dropped either time.
- CCB - 1320: Resistance stiff front of our trs N of RITTERSHOFFEN. AT fire being received from NE part of town.
- CCA - 1350: C/68 KO'd 2 ey tks in RITTERSHOFFEN at 15783398 at 1240A. 1 other tk escaped. Took 2 PWs from 125 PGR of 21st Pz Div. PWs claim ey has flame throwers, tks and Hws in RITTERSHOFFEN. Bomb or Arty shell dropped 100 yds from CP of CCA.
- CCR - 1350: NIEDERBETSCHDORF strafed by ey plane at 1340A.
- Adv CP - 1420: SURBOURG being strafed now.
- CCB - 1520: AT gun or guns at 165345. (Info from 499). Checking with 25th if our units are in the vic before firing on it. N of HATTEN both AT and AW fire received.
- CCB - 1525: Ey Btry at 196340 on edge of woods. Taken under fire by 499 FA.
- 499 FA - 1515: Ey moving vehicles into HATTEN on road from E. Arty fire being recd from azimuth 1600 - plots NIEDERRODERN. Corps Arty is working town over and will continue on it tonight. Ey in pillbox at RJ at 191311, leave pillbox when fired upon by our arty, take cover in woods to SW, return when fire stops. 499th interdicting RJs 204325, 198338 and 200319 assisted by Corps Arty.
- CCR - 1540: Ey pillbox occupied at 191319. EY MG at 188325. Placing fire on both.



G-2 Journal 13 Jan 45, Sheet 3.

CCA - 1600: PW report (125 PGR) -- RITTERSHOFFEN reinforced last night by Co Paratroopers. (Unit had been at CASSINO). Ey in RITTERSHOFFEN state large percentage of officers and EM were killed by US sniper fire.

Adv CP - 1605: Being strafed again. Planes circled, came over for about 5 minutes.

CCA - 1620: PW report: PW from 35th PGR reports Co paratroopers arrived last night in RITTERSHOFFEN. That 9 men were in his bldg but escaped. That paratroopers claimed they fought at NETTUNO and CASSINO. They claimed a Regt of paratroopers are to come into RITTERSHOFFEN. That our troops KO'd 2 ey H/Ts and considerable ammo in bldg they were in. PW from 119 PGR (25 PGD) claims that there are 3 to 6 flak wagons in RITTERSHOFFEN, that they have triple mount of caliber between HMG and 20mm. Saw 10 tks when he came thru HATTEN. All had long-barrelled gun (may be SP gun). About 60 men of 35 PGR, 160 of 119 PGR and 160 of 125 PGR presently in RITTERSHOFFEN. 3 weeks is longest any one of 4 PWs has been with his unit. (2 PWs yesterday 125th PGR, 192 PGR; 2 today 35 PGR and 119 PGR).

CCA - 1620: Mortar fire intense in RITTERSHOFFEN. Some Arty fire received. Visibility 100 yds due to smoke from burning buildings, set afire by ey. Know definitely of 3 KO'd ey tks in the town -- probably are more.

VI Corps - 1630: Dependable PW states that, at 1520A, 155 Pz Arty Regt was trying to fire on RJ at R-159337. At same time siege gun (RR Arty) was requested to fire on R-175325.

CCB - 1645: At 1615A, B/499 and CP of CCB were strafed by ey a/c.

CCR - 1705: AT gun vic 186326. Just E of that at RJ ey dug in. Ey also dug in at 197322. Somewhere in GS R-2031 is an ey OP. 2 bombs were dropped in SCHWABWILLER at about 1700A.

CCA - 1730: 68 reports light c/a from N on RITTERSHOFFEN at 1700A without tank support. Situation well in hand.

CCR - 1645: 12 ey in pillbox at 185326 dressed in white. White tanks and vehicles observed in that area. Friendly OP reported tank battle going on about 1500A in area S of HATTEN. There was a great deal of smoke and observer could not tell the number of tanks involved. Our Inf in HATTEN report ey using bazookas to knock holes in buildings and then using flame throwers. Civilian report states that all civilians being evacuated from FROSTFELD, BEINHEIM, and ROPPENHEIM to SELTZ.

CCB - 1800: Air burst coming in around HOHWILLER to the N - S - W of the town, indicating a concentration on that town tonight.

CCB - 1900: One white flare reported NW of CP in HOHWILLER at 1845A.

~~CCR~~ 1900: Total ey vehicles and armor KO'd by units of the Div today: (6) Tks, (1) SP, (1) H/T.



G-2 Journal 13 Jan 45. Sheet 4.

- CCB - 1915: Ey vehicular movement sounding like Tks was heard vic 162347 at 1850A, by Foudray observer. Fired on by Formosa. Direction of movement not determined.
- CCA - 1945: C/a on 68 at 1700A consisted of about 60 ey. At 1825 12 man ey patrol came down from the NE on the westernmost road in RITTERSHOFFEN and was destroyed. Arty and mortar fire continues. Road from N of RITTERSHOFFEN still covered by sniper fire.
- CCA - 2125: At 2030A, 48th reports ey tks moving around in NE & S parts of RITTERSHOFFEN. At 1930 elms of 48th E of RITTERSHOFFEN observed white flare their vicinity.
- CCA - 2130: At 2115A ey counterattacked RITTERSHOFFEN from HATTEN with tks and Inf, strength unestimated. S-2, 68th reports ey using flame throwers in RITTERSHOFFEN. Our arty fired on ey tks in RITTERSHOFFEN and set one on fire.
- CCA - 2215: Fondel reports ey entered RITTERSHOFFEN W flank with flame throwing tks and Inf. Our Inf in E end of town had been driven from the houses and were reorganizing behind Fondel's tanks which are holding. Fondel called for all possible Arty on E edge of RITTERSHOFFEN. Does not believe ey has gotten more than 100 yds W of church in that town.
- CCB - 2230: Crew recovery vehicle 300 to 400 yds E of LDreport great number of ey vehicles going N and NE toward OBEROEDERN at 2125A.
- CCA - 2300: 315th says ey successful in breaking thru in RITTERSHOFFEN. At 2245, 68 says no more ey activity in town. Quiet, defenses intact. No pressure against them. 48 has been informed of message from 315th and has been told to follow up and bring arty down on the W and S end of town if the penetration goes thru. In the attack the 68th KO'd (1) ey tk in RITTERSHOFFEN.
- CCR - 2330: 68 KO'd (3) ey tks, arty got one and our own tks got one.
- Div Arty - 2330: Maj Barron says more arty called for on E edge of RITTERSHOFFEN. Will call later and give details.
- CCA - 2335: 48th receiving intense arty fire at 2320A in RITTERSHOFFEN. They are countering with same. They are out of FM with 68th, still have CWS.
- CCA - 2340: 48th reports ey tks moving W from HATTEN to RITTERSHOFFEN at 2331A. Our arty firing on them.
- CCA - 2341: 315th Inf reports line moved back a little but still intact. 68 reports line still intact. 48th reports (3) more ey tks KO'd.
- NOTE: Total ey tks and vehicles KO'd during day up to 2400: 14 Tks, 1 SP gun, 1 H/T. Probably more but cannot observe until tomorrow.



G-2 Journal 14 Jan 45. Sheet 5.

CCA - 0009 - At 0001 intercept from Arty LO w/48th Tk. Ey tks and Inf moving NE from HATTEN at 2351. 48 reports no change at 2357. 68 reports no change. Ey tks KO'd --48th (1), 68th (4), 3rd Bn 315th Inf (2), 500 (1).

CCA - 0040: Ey tks moving SW in vic 158343 toward RITTERSHOFFEN. Being fired on by our arty.

CCA - 0105: Large quantity of WP arty falling at 156335. At 0058A, 68 reports ey tks at 158343. At 0055A, yellow flares over RITTERSHOFFEN.

TF WAHL - 0120: 2 PWs taken in HATTEN yesterday. (1) from 25 AT Bn of 25 PG Div. (1) from 119 PGR. States (3) 88's at 190336, (3) 88's at 216344, (1) 105 at 224340. Regt CP at 225341. Bn CP at 228342. 12 AT guns of the 25th were to take positions N of HATTEN. Bn had 20 A/G's. 2nd Co lost 70 killed. Info has been given to arty to fire.

CCA - 0300: 68th lost no vehicles during ey c/a last night. They ey c/a with tks and other vehicles from the N. The 68th saw one ey flame throwing tk near the church in RITTERSHOFFEN. Ey armor and vehicles damaged during the c/a were as follows: 8 ey tks KO'd, 3 ey tks hit and probably KO'd, 2 ey H/T's hit and probably KO'd, 2 ey SPs hit and probably KO'd; During the day a total of 14 ey tks, 1 ey H/T and 1 ey SP were destroyed. 3 ey tks, 2 H/Ts and 2 SPs hit and probably KO'd. 4 PWs taken. Estimated ey casualties, 100 killed, 100 wounded.

CCA - 0850: 68 reports ey flame throwing tk KO'd in RITTERSHOFFEN at 0840A.

CCA - 0855: 2 ey AT guns reported at 158342 at 0845A. Arty firing on them.

Adv CP - 0923: 1 ey plane over SURBOURG. One bomb fell about 1 mi W of SURBOURG CR.

CCA - 0925: Bldgs S side main street 315th sector RITTERSHOFFEN burning -- fire spreading fast. 68th KO'd 1 SP near center of town. Ey arty and mortar fire on town heavy. Have not advanced as of 0900A.

CCA - 1000: 68 reports no ey activity since 0845 except: Bazooka team sent to KO 2 AT guns reported at 158342. Bazooka team now pinned down by MG fire.

CCA - 1045: 68 reports at 1030A, ey mortar fire falling in RITTERSHOFFEN.

CCA - 1130: 68 getting burp gun fire from S. 48 B firing on ey Inf at 162336 at 1130A. Bismark Blue getting mortar fire at 1110A.

Adv CP - 1140: Ey plane or planes over SURBOURG. Dropped 2 or 3 fragmentation bombs in town.

Adv CP - 1155: One more bomb dropped in SURBOURG.

94 - 1200: 1000A patrol NTR. 0800 patrol received ey sniper fire from W edge woods vic 160376.



G-2 Journal 14 Jan 45. Sheet 6.

313th Inf (Ln) - 1100: Friendly minefield on line 155355--158357--165359. Arty fired on ey tk at 185363 in STUNDWILLER. PW Info (2 PWs surrendered vic 154354): RITTERSHOFFEN held by elms of 25 PGD, Bn 119 PGR in vic 180349. New ey Regt reported in HATTEN.

IPW - CCR - 1100: Civilian from RITTERSHOFFEN reports: 350 paratroopers relieved unit in RITTERSHOFFEN yesterday. Young and tough -- signed up for 12 yrs and are out for medals. Germans, in general, short of ammo (particularly AT) and were told to conserve it. Ey CP (Co or Bn) at 1590 3415. Last night he saw an assault gun at bend of road at center of RITTERSHOFFEN, an AT gun at 15993410. Ey lost 2 Hvy mortars last night. Have only 1 panzerfaust left.

CCA (Lt Guala) - 1130: PW statement: About 100 men were in strongpoint in church in RITTERSHOFFEN. Some ey flame throwers were not tank mounted but were portable, carried by men riding SP guns. (This from both PWs and observation). 2 tractors towing 88s observed NW RITTERSHOFFEN -- fired arty on them, drove them in woods vic 158343. At 0950, 11 bombs dropped NE part RITTERSHOFFEN, followed by strafing. Only planes observed were 5 P-47's. Attk last night est at least a strong Bn. 5 to 7 rds lt arty fell in KUHLENDORF at 1045A from azimuth 85 degrees -- one man hurt.

CCB (Lt Guala) - 1130: 25th has been firing on BUHL, ASHBACH and STUNDWILLER up to 0930A. 499 at 0930A firing on ey Inf at 155344. 304th Engr (OBER-ROEDERN) estimates Bn well dug in N bank river between bridges at 179349 and 189348. Bridge at 179349 is only a foot bridge.

CCB - 1210: Ey Inf in open 17213453. Fired on by 499 - 1210A. Ey dug-in mortars 171348 fired on by 499th - 1130.

C CA- 1212: 68 still receiving intense hvy cal mortar fire in RITTERSHOFFEN.

CCB - 1345: Ey H/T rptd 170345. Fired on by friendly arty. This rptd by AOP at 1315.

CCA -(G-3) - 1315: Intense mortar, arty and burp gun fire in RITTERSHOFFEN. 48 working on snipers on W edge of town.

Div Arty (AOP) - 1350: Ey well dug in N side bridge at 189348. Tried to adjust with 8" but driven off by fire of dug in flak guns same location.

CCR (G-3) - 1355: Suspected mortar posn at 180337 fired upon by our arty.

CCA (G-3) - 1410: 48 rpts ey infiltration on R flank. 315th has been alerted. Arty requested.

TF WAHL - 1415: Intercept 3/315th in RITTERSHOFFEN. Ey attacking same location as last night.

CCB - 1420: Ey Inf around pillbox at 185327. 499 firing mission on target.



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CCA - 1430: 48 reports that c/a has increased with tks at main junction E of church, at church and S thereof. (Came into town from SE originally).

Adv CP - 1510: Ey plane or planes over SURBOURG.

62d - 1520: 2 jet planes over KUHLENDORF (town where CP of 62nd is located) dropped 2 bombs.

CCA - 1520: At 1500, 68 reports fire still intense in RITTERSHOFFEN. Tks with 68 working on one ey tk, Inf on another. 68 patrol killed 3 or 4 ey at 157339. 315th Inf receiving mortar fire in RITTERSHOFFEN at 1458A.

CCB - 1530: Ey Inf & ey KO'd tk at 186326. Fired on by 499, 1515. Obsvd by A-94.

CCR - 1530: Ey infiltrating from NE between HATTEN and RITTERSHOFFEN. 19th pushing N across main EW road in W end HATTEN for approach on Northern of 2 E-W roads. C/a in RITTERSHOFFEN reaching to church from E at 1430. 100 yd stretch eastings 174 to 175 on E-W main road in HATTEN burned outby ey. Elms of at least 7 Cos, 1 tiger tk known to be alive in HATTEN. Ey fighting very hard, using plenty arty.

Maj Simonini - 1545: Redwood AOP up and down RHINE. Noticed low flying cub 075042, 500 feet altitude, back and forth along RHINE. AOP approached for closer look and there were 2 planes, one an ME 109. Corps thinks might be ruse to suck in our cubs for kill by ME 109.

CCA - 1545: Bismark Blue at 1445 and 48 at 1500 reported situation normal in RITTERSHOFFEN. Lt mortar and SA fire being received.

B-94- 1605: NTR.

CCR - 1615: At 1605A, CCR crossed first N-S road in HATTEN. One AT gun KO'd at 179331.

Adv CP - 1640: Ey air over again.

CCB - 1650: AT gun observed 188324 by A-94. 499 fired a mission on target.

CCR - IPW - 1715: PW 2nd Co Rcn Bn, 1st Pz Div captured KONIGSBRUCK (2029). Lives in SOUFFLENHEIM. Was told by civilians to take road thru KONIGSBRUCK. Home on furlough, crossed RHINE in rubber boat alone at SELTZ. Volksturm in SELTZ, est 1 Bn 2 days ago.

CCR - 1745: W end HATTEN receiving intense ey arty fire. E end HATTEN receiving intense friendly arty fire.

B-94- 1755: 3-75's moved into INGOLSHEIM, one set up at 147421. PW says firing on HATTEN. (2 PWs taken by 3/222). Bridge at INGOLSHEIM being repaired but not yet ready for vehicles.

CCR - 1800: Ey still defends strongly in HATTEN. Hvy arty in town. Still dug in S of town. Have obs on everything S of town. We have one-third of town. Ey Inf 187338. 1 PW.



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CCR - 1800: Dirigible over NIEDERBETSCHDORF going W.

Biscuit Red: 1703: Tk motors heard in ASHBACH. They stopped. Will notify if they restart.

CCA - 2030: 136th - Ey tk moving into town from NE at 2005A. Bringing arty fire on it.

CCA - 2025: Bismark Blue: Everything OK. Ey tks in vic of church.

B-94 (3rd Plat) - 2000: Patrol in HUNSPACH area. Neg rpt a s of 2000.

CCB - 2120: 1 ey tk vic 158341 fired on by our arty.

CCB - 2140: Ey Inf and vehicles at 175341. 499 firing mission on target.

CCR - 2145: Report Inf and tks coming from direction STUNDWILLER (NE) to attk HATTEN. Also tks coming from E.

AA with Fop interrupted 463 AA which said they saw parachutists or paratroopers dropping somewhere in the area. Forage investigating. 2145.

TF WAHL - 2210: Tks & Inf hit BISMARCK from NE in HATTEN.

Redwood - Searchlights observed in WISSEMBOURG area. 12 in one case between 2000 and 2020. Over HERLISHEIM a yellow flare observed every 20 minutes. Low performance plane over HAGUENAU and SURBOURG tonight. They engaged it and dropped a yellow flare.

Formosa LO with CCB reports a column of tks moving on HATTEN from BUHL and another one from due E.

CCR - 2230: Inf & tk c/a hitting HATTEN from N, E, SE. Heard considerable movement in E and SE of HATTEN. Lots of our arty falling in attk.

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CCR - 0020: C/a slackened in intensity. No other information.

CCR - 0030: C/a at this time pretty much under control. This was due largely to amt of friendly arty dropped on ey. PW Info: Co CP of 2nd Co, 125th Regt, 21st Pz Div was at 173338. Regimental CP at OBERSEEBACH. Strength of Co 40 men with two platoons. Two Cos of Regt have been committed in HATTEN. Third in reserve E end of town. Cos have 6 or 7 MGs & 12 Panzerfausts. 2nd Co had no bazookas. 3 men captured from a KO'd Mk IV tk-- came down from BERGZABERN to HATTEN with four Mk V's. Rear echelon maintenance in BERGZABERN. Mk V's belong to 5th or 8th Co of the 22nd Regt, 21st Pz Div. 1 PW believes some of 22nd Pz Regt is in RITTERSHOFFEN, said to have about 14 Mk IV's.



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- CCB - 0035: Outposts at 2400 report 7 tks were moving NE from RITTERSHOFFEN. Men making much noise sounding like movement.
- CCR - 0100: Maj Whipple: 1 PW from 1 Co of 20th Parachute Regt of Div (ERDMANN). This 1 Co is in HATTEN. There are 3 more Cos in sector somewhere. This Co is 100 men strong. This PW picked up in HATTEN. His outfit came from HOLLAND to LANDAU in Dec. He arrived in HATTEN 9 Jan 45.
- CCR - 0123: Counterattack definitely under control. Only sniper fire going on.
- TF WAHL - 0215: Attk last night, 3 tks from N & 1 tk from E. Unknown no of Inf. Our arty very effective. Since 2330 it has been quiet in HATTEN.
- CCR - 0430-0500: All quiet.
- CCR - 0500: 19th: OP observed vehicular movement to the N. May mean an attack being formed from that direction. Nothing concrete though.
- CCR - 0545: Ey c/a in HATTEN with Inf, tks, flame throwers and arty support.
- CCR - 0600: C/a coming from high ground in E. Our arty working on it.
- CCR - 0630: Things have quieted down. 4 houses given up. Situation seems now under control.
- CCR - 0410: 3 PWs -- 125 Pz Gr Regt - 2nd Co. 3 Cos in Bn. 2 plats per Co & Co Hq. Strength approx 40 men per Co. Age 18-40. CP 2nd Co was at 173338. Regt CP OBERSEEBACH. 1st & 2nd Cos committed. 1st Co W of main road in ~~W~~ W end of HATTEN. 2nd Co S of main road, 3rd Co in reserve N of town. 6 or 7 LMG's with 200 rds per gun. Personalities -- Lt Puty, CO 2nd Co. Capt Tier - CO 1st Bn, APO 34133, Repl Unit, Pz Gr Repl Bn 361 (Wuppertal). 3 PWs captured in HATTEN. Unit 1st Co, 20th Parachute Regt, 7th Parachute Div. 100 to 110 men per Co. 1st Bn has 4 Cos, 3 platoons each. 4 Co hvy weapons Co. 9 LMG's. 1st Co in HATTEN. Other 3 Cos somewhere in sector. Capt Gehmlick - CO, 1st Co APO L 62535B. Their mission -- 1 plat was to clear out houses on W end of HATTEN occupied by our troops. Morale, extremely high. All young men and mostly volunteers and professionals. 1st Bn of 20th Regt came on Dec 25, 44 from HOLLAND. Came to LANDAU. 1st Co arrived HATTEN 9 Jan 45.
- CCR - 0410: 3 PWs captured in HATTEN -- GHQ Arty. Strength 360 men. Organization, 3 b trys with 3 guns each. 150 men each. Armament - 3 long's plus arty. On the 14th Jan only 200 rds left in Bn. Supplies came from SCHLEITHAL (2243) at 1400-1430 daily. SCHLEITHAL is full of tks - at least 20 tks (Mk IVs & Mk VI's tigers). Scout cars and considerable personnel in ASCHBACH ((1833)) - evacuation of civilians. STUNDWILLER also. BUHL also. EBERBACH (2436) is Div CP, in a house at CR 2410364 5 and there is a Bn CP at 24223630. NIEDERROEDERN is CP of 1152 Arty Bn just opposite church. Btry location - KROTTWEILER (2137) - Bn of 105mm Hows.



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- At 23403422 - btry 3-150mm Hows  
At 22823443 - btry 3-150mm Hows  
At 21983552 - btry 3-150mm Hows  
At 22203390 - btry 3-150mm Hows 2 to 3 guns well camouflaged.
- At 22203410 - 12AA guns mostly 88s. At 23803422 - 10AA guns mostly 88's. At 19623501. FOs (the southernmost part of BUHL) At 17873316, there are many observers in a house on the CR of 3 rds. At 17903410 - 40mm gun with observers. At RITTERSHOFFEN in northern part of town is the CP of 119 PGR as of 13 Jan 45. Capt Altenhoner - CO, 1152 Bn. Lt Harlisch Ord O; Lt Botcher, CO 1st B try; 1st Lt Kultz, CO 2nd Btry. APO Hq 1152 Bn 20077 Arty. Radios are operating on a frequency of 4770 on 12-14 Jan. 3 PWs in HATTEN. 2nd Co of 22nd Pz Regt, 21st Pz Div. According to PWs, 4 tks in town. 1 Mk IV, 3 Mk Vs. Mk IV belongs to 2nd Co. 3 panthers to the 5th & 8th Cos of same Regt. Believe rest of unit in SCHLIETHAL.
- CCR - 0830: PW count: 3 - 2nd Co, 125th PGR, 21st Pz Div; 3 - 1st Co, 20 Para Regt, 7 Para Div; 3 or 4 1152 GHQ Arty Bn; 3 - 2nd Co, 22nd Pz Regt, 21 Pz Div.
- CCB - 0837: Ey Inf in NW edge of HATTEN at 0730A. Ey Inf assembling vic 171345, splitting up in (2) groups, headed for HATTEN and RITTERSHOFFEN at 0830A. 499 fired on both targets.
- CCB - 0920: Ey vehicles at 173339 approaching from N. Reported by 499 FO at 0910A.
- CCB - 0950: Ey vehicles at 175339, 176339 and 177339, reported at 0945A by FO 499. Fired on.
- CCR - 0958: KUHLENDORF received moderate concentration med arty fire this AM.
- CCB - 1000: Ey gun posn at 173339 fired on by 499 at 0955.
- B-94 - 1009: Negative report.
- CCA - 1015: Our patrol engaged in a fire fight with ey at 15093395. Visibility 75 yds at 0950A.
- CCA - 1200: ISUM to include 151200: Ey continues strong resistance in RITTERSHOFFEN, but has not been aggressive during period. SA fire continues same intensity and tk activity reduced. Harassing lt and med arty fire on KUHLENDORF increased. Visibility lowered from 100 yds early morning to 50 ft at noon.
- CCR - 1210: Some flame throwing tks operating in HATTEN, attacking some houses in E end of town. Resistance still strong. Visibility improving slightly.
- 94 - 1200: A Tr OP reports vehicular movement in woods in GS 1932. Visibility too poor to see, but can only hear. 5 rds est 88mm recd this morning in NIEDERBETSCHDORF from azimuth 60 degrees. Patrol report: NTR.
- CCR - 0830: Armored column approaching HATTEN from E.



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- CCB - 1345: Ey tks moving N at 180348 at 1330A. Ey digging in at 165347 at 1330. Ey patrols at 163342 and 176337 fired on by 499.
- G-2 - 1430: Ey defenses: AT guns - 2 vic 157345, 1 vic 172340, 1 vic 179344, 2 vic 185344, 1 vic 186326, 1 vic 188347, 2 vic 185343, 3 vic 190337, 3 vic 216343. MGs - 3 vic pillbox at 186326. Mortars - 2 vic 171348, AA guns - vic 190348. Occupied pillboxes - 186326, 186346 (CP). Bridges - in - 212341, 189348, 179348 (footbridge). Arty - empl - 2 dug in 14 Jan at 181325 and 195321. Trs dug in - 180349 - 189348 (Bn along N bank river), 179335 - 179330 (E side road), 182334 - 182332, 187326 - 199324 (N side road), 164346. Arty areas - TRIMBACH - SIEGEN - SALMBACH; NIEDERRODERN - SCHAFFHAUSEN - SELTZ; BUHL - STUNDWILLER (Col Kurtz).
- CCB - 1430: Sniper and burp gun fire at 158345 reported by 62 OP. Being taken care of.
- CCR - 1520: Ey c/a from the E on HATTEN at 1440 in Bn strength with Inf, and Our arty preparation scheduled for 1500 in support of our attack planned at 1500, is falling on ey. The c/a is continuing.
- CCR - 1535: Ey c/a pressing hard from E.
- 94 - 1550: Report "B" Tr. "L" Co, 3 Bn 222 Inf picked up (4) civilians at road block who had infiltrated from CLEEBOURG. These civilians reported no armor nor arty and only 40 ey Inf. In OBERHOFFEN, ey arty was located near town.
- CCB - 1550: Occupied pillbox 172344. 88 gun at 18683467. Bridge on MSR at 185344 (?) Ey CP in pillbox 187338. Between 186341 and 186344 are 88s and mortars. Reported by Forgone thru Formosa at 1545.
- 94 - 1600: Neg report on 1400 patrol.
- CCA - 1605: 105 shell hit H/T in KUHLENDORF at 1600A.
- Lt Guala - 1300: PW was carrying msge to ey arty in HATTEN giving following frequencies (or wave lengths): 15 Jan: 2633, alt 2678. Jan 16,17,18: 2662, alt 2563.
- CCR - 1620: Situation fairly critical. Med tks c/a'ing ey attk.
- TF WAEL - 1620: Msg from Col Holton, CO 2nd Bn 315 to his ex offat RITTERSHOFFEN which stated: "Situation in HATTEN is desperate. Ey attacking in strength". Time: 1613A.
- CCR - 1700: Relay from 19 AIB. Ey pressure steadily increasing. Cannot prevent ey from burning buildings occupied by our troops.
- 94 - 1810: Neg Report "B" tr 1600 patrols.
- CCB - 1755: The lt tk plat reached their obj at 165352 at 1745A. Returning now. Arty observed 2 or 3 Germans on the ridge in front of them. The Germans observed the tks and left hurriedly. Possibly on ey OP.



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- CCR - 2000: 1 Mk V tk, 2 AT guns KO'd during day.
- CCB - 2130: (6) rds estimated 150 to 170mm ey Arty fell vic R-123366. (3) rds fell in HOHWILLER, same cal, same time.
- CCA - 2130: At 2120A, 68th reports ey vehicles moving around in the northern part of RITTERSHOFFEN.
- CCA - 2205: 3rd Bn, 315th Inf reported that (1) ey tk moved into RITTERSHOFFEN from HATTEN at 2125A.
- CCA - 2250: At 2211A, ey tks moved into RITTERSHOFFEN from direction HATTEN. Our Arty fired on them. Situation now quiet.
- CCA - 2300: Some very large cal Arty has fallen in HATTEN. Maj Cavin observed a hit on one house that completely demolished it. Will try to obtain shell fragments.
- CCA - 2300: Ey med Arty harassing fire falling in KUHLENDORF.
- TFW - 2315: FO in woods S of HATTEN heard (7) tks moving into HATTEN from the E at 2300A. Another FO heard track vehicles moving from ASHBACH to STUNDWILLER to BUHL. Considerable Arty fire falling in OBERROEDEN.
- CCR - 2335: FW reports that there are 30 tks N of HATTEN. At 2310, FO reported concentration of vehicles N of HATTEN.
- CCR - 2345: (10) rds 75mm low velocity ey Arty fell in OBERBETSCHDORF at 2320. (Shellrep sent to arty)
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- 94 - 0050: "B" troop negative report at 2400.
- CCA - 0110: 68th reports (5) ey tks reported in NW section of RITTERSHOFFEN. Am investigating. Will report later.
- CCA - 0140: Noise of one Tk being heard in RITTERSHOFFEN by 68th. Suspected of covering other tks being moved. Direction not determined. - 0130A.
- CCA - 0300: 68th reports same tk movement heard as reported at 0130.
- CCA - 0330: 68th reports Arty fire placed on tks previously reported moving around in RITTERSHOFFEN. Time 0240A.
- 94 - 0407: Negative report.
- CCR - 0615: 4 PWs taken. 3 from 1st Co, 20 Para Regt, 7th Div. 1 from 5th Co, 20 Para Regt, 7th Div. PW states Regt CP 20th Para in NIEDERROEDERN.
- TFW - 0700: 313th OP reports (3) tks moving along rd from BUHL to HATTEN. Time (?)
- B-94 - 0720: "B" troop negative report.
- CCA - 0740: Message originating with BISMARCK Blue stated "Some Tk activity in vic of church in RITTERSHOFFEN at 0700."



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B-2 Find

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0815: Ey entrenchment reinforced with logs at R-178335 to R-177333.

CCR - 0955: PW Info - 1 PW from 5th Co, 20 Para Regt, 7 Para Div: 5th Co strength at 151500 -- 40 men. 3 Plats and TD squad of 6 men. 8 IMGs, several panzerfausts. TD squad had 2 bazookas with 8 grenades and 6 panzerfausts. 4 Engrs attchd, have one portable flamethrower. Co has 4 such flame-throwers. No flamethrowers on tks. Left Venlo, HOLLAND 25 Dec 44, came thru LANDAU, arrived NIEDERRODERN 12 Jan. Sent to HATTEN early morning 15 Jan. Believes CP Regt and II Bn in NIEDERRODERN. Claims there are a large number of tks in E part of HATTEN and on both sides of road leading to NIEDERRODERN and in woods E of HATTEN. Some 15 tks or more in HATTEN 15 Jan in E part of town, all Panthers of 21 Pz Div. 3 Bns in 20 Para Regt; believes all are in immediate vicinity.

94 - 1000: "B" Tr patrol at 0800, negative.

Div Arty Rpt: Ey mortars reported at R-16303416 and R-17603370.

CCB - 1030: Our assault guns fired harassing missions all last night on ey digging in at R-162349 and R-165347.

CCB - 1100: Patrol reports: Patrol passed CPA at 1035, B at 1040, C at 1045. NTR. Foudray received sniper fire in front lines, believed coming from one of our burned-out tks at R-158345. Fired at tk with bazooka, sniper stopped.

CCB - 1145: Ey Inf and AT observed by Forgone "D" vic R-170348. Fired on by Formosa at 1115A.

94 - 1200: "B" Tr patrol report 1000 neg.

CCB - 1230: Observed ey Inf around one of our KO'd tks at R-168340 at 1100A. Also MG fire from R-170348 at 1115A. Msgs from D/25.

CCA - 1230: 62 reports receiving AW fire from N side main street RITTERSHOFFEN at 1134A.

CCB - 1240: Light tank -- direct fire from strip of wood N to S R-168348 and square patch of woods R-169349. Looks like Mk V. A-25 & Lt tks firing. Withdrawn to "A".

TF WAHL - 1245: PW of 192nd captured in RITTERSHOFFEN. 5th, 6th, 7th Cos in RITTERSHOFFEN. Bn & Co CP in RITTERSHOFFEN. Casualties heavy. Short of medical supplies. 30 men in Co.

25 Tk -1250: Reports direct fire from R-173343.

CCR - 1250: (Recd at 1230) -- Ey tk concentration in woods vic 200337 -- 208337.

CCB - 1250: Ey Inf and MG reported at 167346. SP gun moving at 164348. Ey c/a coming in from NE at R-179339. Time 1155. Formosa FO.

CCR - 1255: C/A very weak. Light SA only. No armor yet.

CCR - 1315: 19th reports their front lines strafed by plane at 1305A. Plane had French markings.



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94 - 1350: Dug-in SP guns and trs at 177332. Observed by plat Lt Tks, 94.

CCB - 1400: (Rec'd at 1320) -- Ey vehicles at 173344. Ey Inf at 175341 at 1300A.

CCA - 1425: Have been receiving burp gun and sniper fire from NW of RITTERSHOFFEN -- Fool. Has now ceased. Time: 1400.

CCB - 1505: Inf in white capes 167347. Ey Inf at 178338, 176339, 177339. Reported at 1445 by Formosa who fired mission on these targets.

CCA - 1516: Forrestal "C" recd this message (Forage does not know from whom): "White parachute flare observed 168358. Launcher unknown." --1513A. At 1515 plane passed over CCA CP. Was jet-propelled and dropped 2 bombs far to our NE.

Div Arty LO - 1535: 88's, tks, & Inf dug in 167347, 175343.--(As of 1430). Will fire on them.

CCA - 1602: Fondel tanks firing at ey half-track at 158343 at 1555A.

CCA - 1605: From Fool: 1 Ey vehicle N of RITTERSHOFFEN. Fired on it. Effect unknown.

CCB - 1615: Ey air over HOHWILLER, est 9 bombs dropped. Lt Tk patrol at 1605 at 166352. NTR.

CCA - 1630: (Recd 1435)- Patrol to 170326 observed Ey Rcn vehicle, 3 or 4 men, recd Arty fire and were strafed by planes. From Maj England, Fondel, patrol was investigating our 3 stuck lt tks near there.

Lt Simmons - 1630A: Ey air dropped 1 bomb in KUHLENDORF at 1615A.

CCB - 1640: 1627A - Lt tk patrol ran into direct fire from 169349.

CCR - 1645: Mortar and burp gun fire being received from 148328.

CCR - 1710: Ey Inf with SP guns counterattacking from NE into HATTEN. ✓

CCR- 1800: Ey fiercely defending and counterattacking in HATTEN throughout the day with all supporting weapons SA, mortars, AG, flame throwers, tanks. Shelling NIEDERBETSCHDORF at 1800A and is continuing--estimated 105mm. SP gun at 178331. Continuous shelling of RR station R160328 - 1 round every 2 or 3 minutes throughout day mixed caliber 88-105- 130- 150mm. Enemy observed by our OP in cemetery R161339. Four enemy snipers located in woods vic R135308. Enemy shelling along road interdictory fire R1630 and R1929. Bombing and strafing in Hatten around noon.  
 B of 94 -1825A. Arty fire in SCHOENENBOURG (R129391) 18 to 20 rounds every 2 min- (Cpl Brown) utes. He thinks it is coming on approximately 45 degree Azimuth. (Est 105 mm.)

V1 Corps 2045 : Evidence to indicate a lot of German power massing for attack over sector tomorrow AM or sooner or later.



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- CCR - 2045A ; (PW Statement) 2 Co 125 Rcn Bn ( 25 PGR Div). Screening CR 221305 to CR 225318. Have 120 men in Co. Mission patrolling. Have some engrs behind (E) of them. To be relieved very shortly by para units--- Reason: not adequately fitted, weapons poor, pretty well knocked out. Paras may attack. Radio frequency 2700. Have been unable to ded code our msgs.
- 94 - 2100A : Patrol reports 20 rounds mortar and arty fire falling in SCHOENENBOURG in one minute at 1910A.
- G-2 - 2125A ; Because of increased ey patrol activity in other sectors, all units are to be especially alert for a combined thrust of ey inf and armor tonight and tomorrow. (~~SEB~~ Sent to CCA, CCB, CCR, 94.)
- CCR - 2155A ; 2 PWs captured in HATTEN 1400A--Unit 3 Co., 125 Regt, 21 Pz Div. Strength 25 men this morning. Weapons 2 lngs 600 rounds ammo for each gun. Mission to hold position until 1800 today and then were to be relieved. 11 Jan they had about 80 men. Greatest losses attributed to mortar and arty fire. PW believes 1 and 2 Cos has about same strength (25 men). PW saw 2 Mk IV tanks last night in HATTEN. Their CO ~~XX~~ Lt Mueller killed on the 14 of Jan. Their APO is 34133D.
- CCR -2240 ; Unusually hvy traffic going back and forth on the northern East-West road thru HATTEN.
- CCR -2345 ; Neiderbetschdorf receiving harassing arty fire. Est 150 mm. One round every 5 minutes.
- CCR 2340 ; Radio intercept -Mortar and arty with delay fuses falling on our position. Heavy vehicle traffic moving east and west along ridge north of town in vic 17-63438. Enemy personnel heard in same vic.
- CCR 170045A : 10 man ey patrol approaching our OP at R161328.
- 94 170045A : One of our patrols was stopped by a ten man ey patrol at approx. 181317 at 2345A. Ey fired on our patrol with burp guns. Our patrol too small, withdrew.
- CCR 170050A : At 165335 we were bringing in 3 half tracks from HATTEN- one loaded with wounded. A German bazooka team hit center half track.
- TFW 170415 ; Sounds of tks and inf at 177350 at 0347A. Sound of pounding as of a bridge being repaired at 180349. Pu4TOT on it - *Sounds stopped.*
- CCA 170525 ; In orchard NW of RITTERSHOFFEN at approx 158343 an est 5 tracked vehicles heard moving in early part of night. ✓



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- CCB - 0830A : Lt Tk Plat receiving fire from vic 169348. Arty called for. (Still getting fire at 0900A).
- CCR - 0845 - Ey attacked on HATTEN from E with Inf, bazookas and tanks (strength unknown) starting 0730A.
- CCA - 0850 - FO reports poor obsn, no targets, arty falling on them.
- CCA - 0910 - Bismark has small lodgement in RITTERSHOFFEN. Going plenty tough.
- CCB - 0915 - 68 reports drawing considerable mortar, arty fire on ridge NW of RITTERSHOFFEN. S/A fire NE of town.
- CCB - 0925 - In O from Bingo reports one of Bingo Blue trip flares south of OBER-ROEDERN was set off about 2200A last night and they captured 2 PWs in GS 1635.
- G-2 Rear - 0930 - Reliable PW reports: We made a surprise break thru this morning in RITTERSHOFFEN.
- CCA - 1015 - Bismarck unit which has toehold in RITTERSHOFFEN having very tough time.
- CCR - 1020 - 242 reports 8 ey tks approaching SESSENHEIM (1821) from coord 180205. That they have nothing to stop the tanks. 2 of their OP's cut off and are digging in. Ey in STATTMATTEN (1921). 5 ey Co's attacking N from DENGOLSHEIM (1821).
- Div Arty - 1030 - OP in HATTEN reports over Co of Inf dug in along road running N from HATTEN RR sta. Also dug in along RR - E from station. Our med tks circling town to N.
- CCA - 1040 - PW report: 2 PW's from 3/119 PGR of 25 PGD. 1, 2, 3 Cos of 119 in RITTERSHOFFEN. 3d Co has 50 - 80 men left. Arrived RITTERSHOFFEN 12 Jan - had 100 men in the Co then. Co has 8 IMG's, several Pz Fausts. All vehicles of 119 have been withdrawn from RITTERSHOFFEN. 4 or 5 tks in the town. Has seen paratroopers in RITTERSHOFFEN.
- CCA - 1100 - From CCR. Concentration 88 mm guns in area 175344, 175347, 170348, 170343. Tr movements on BUHL and STUNDWILLER roads into HATTEN. Ey dug in along HATTEN-STUNDWILLER and HATTEN-BUHL roads from HATTEN to SELTZBACK river. (Foriegn to Fondel to CCA). RITTERSHOFFEN - ey defending in houses with lots of burp guns, MGs, mortars and arty fire. (Notified Corps).
- CCR - 1030A - C/A from E of 1 Co strength. C/A from SE with Co strength, plus 4/5 tks. Receiving S/A and MG fire from woods vic 166327. Ey Inf at 178332 - we have arty on them.
- CCB - 1055 - Lt tks shooting Inf along line OBERROEDERN-RITTERSHOFFEN above northing 35. Calling for time fire on strong point at 169349.
- CCR - 1045 - At cemetery at 179330, US H/Ts with ey parked here. Arty notified. ✓
- CCR - 1120 - KO'd 1 ey tk at RR X'ing vic 179331. Only way to protect against bazookas is to pin them down with MG fire.
- CCB - 1150 - Ey Inf at 172349 and 165350. SP at 16713464. Firing arty and AG's on them.
- CCR - 1215 - The battle still going on. One more ey med tk KO'd (total 2).
- 94 - 1220 - B patrol reports Btry of 3 - 6 88's on Hill 177.1 at vic 170397, firing on HOFFEN. Time of flight 6 seconds. Observed from HUNSPACH at 1200A. (Gave to Arty).
- Capt Phillips - 1200A - Ey patrol activity increased in woods SW of NIEDERROEDERN. Ey S of HAGUENAU forest holds SESSENHEIM and STATTMATTEN, but situation is in hand. 1 of 8 tks KO'd, others withdrew. 12AD has taken HERLEISHEIM, but GAMBSHEIM held by ey. Ey well dug in between HERLEISHEIM and GAMBSHEIM--attitude defensive. 12 AD took 200 PWs from SS Police Regt. Ey C/A in 45 Div zone once--under control.



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94-B - 1800A - Negative report for 1600 patrol.

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94th - German patrol approximately 8 men came from the N Boldly down the road humming or singing to RR station in RITTERSHOFFEN AT 2200 to 2230. Time not definitely established. I passed guard at door and went out again. Situation confused. The Germans threw grenades and possibly fired a bazooka and then escaped N. No injuries of note sustained by either side. Some Germans wore white capes. Delay in this report caused by this Hdq to investigate since initial reports were confused. Time signed 0225.

TF WAHL - 0745: 3rd Bn reports 4 ey tks milling around vic 179347 off road going into HATTEN.

CCB - 0835: Ey tks congregating at 167347. Reported by FO Formosa. Formosa is firing on them *with med arty of 312. Tanks reported withdrawn.*

CCB - 0855: AT gun and tank suspected at 161343 at 0825A. Being investigated by foot patrol of Foudray.

Foster F.D. - 0905: Recd from Scatter 3. Lt tks and half tracks at 15953420. *Painted white. Scatter asked Biscuit to fire. Jan 0830A.*

CCA - 0600: PWs during night - 2. From 192 PGR, 2<sup>nd</sup> PZ Div. Taken in RITTERSHOFFEN by 68th AIB.

94 - 0915: Our patrols report everything quiet with 2 exceptions: 88 shells landing vic 180320 coming direction of NIEDERROEDERN. ~~St fire also heard~~

CCB - 0925: 25th Tk Bn reported ey movement 0920 in square woods NE of RITTERSHOFFEN and from 500 to 1000 yds E. Last report placed CCB patrols at report line Q.

CCB - 0940: 3 Tks, 1 H/T plus Inf pulling out of smoke screen 175346--0935. Formosa firing on them.

Div Arty - 0955: Formosa firing at Inf H/T's and Volkswagons at 18863347. ✓



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- CCR - 1240A - Defense of HATTEN by Inf of 119PGR of 25 PG Div and 20 Para Regt of 7 Para Div, AT guns of 25 AT Bn of 25 PG Div and tanks of 22 Pz Regt of 21 Pz Div. Have taken no PW's, but should get some soldbucks. Est 200 ey killed. Tide of battle believed turned.
- VI Corps - 1300A - Reliable PW: (FO 155AR) no danger. No penetration MIR.
- CCB - 1230A - Ey smoking at 170346. We are firing into the smoke. Lt tk patrol reports 3 tks and 1 flak wagon vic 170348--arty fired TOT.
- CCB - 1310A - 25 reports 3 ey tks in orchard at 170347 at 1210. Ey tks covered with white sheets. At 1255, 2 ey vehicles moving with good speed S toward RITTERSHOFFEN--HATTEN road, disappeared into orchard and did not come out.
- CCA - 1320A - 68 reports two of their heavy vehicles KO'd in their zone by bazooka fire.
- CCB - 1325A - 25 firing on ey tks in woods at 170347.
- CCB - 1345A - L Co Bingo Blue - King - 1345A tk dug in at 169349. Inf dug in 166343. Believe 2 - 88's, one each side of pillbox 53 apparently being used as tk resupply points.
- CCA - 1345 - White ey tk vic strongpoint at 169348. Ey 1/2 tk at 154343 at 1300A.
- CCB - 1445 - 3 enemy track vehicles at 173344. 499 firing on them at 1420.
- CCR - 1400 - AT gun in RR cut at 182331 KO'd 2 of our tks about 1330A. Hvy Arty laid on AT gun.
- CCA - 1230 - 68 reports sniper fire lessening.
- Div Arty - 1445 - Ey laying smoke screen 183347 - 16713464.
- CCA - 1500 - S/A, arty and mortar fire heavy against our attack in Rittershoffen.
- CCB - Radio intercept - Ey entrenched 17763360.
- CCA - Smoke is coming in on our tanks. Situation indefinite.
- CCR - 1550 - R-198325 1530A 5 enemy tks N at edge of woods painted black and white alternating stripes. 1 ey wounded captured in partial American uniform (helmet and field jacket).
- Div Arty - 1555 - Scatter says one OP reports seeing one white flare over HATTEN at 1545.
- CCB - 1615 - A camouflaged weapon, type unknown, vic 171348 being observed and fired on by Formosa at 1615.
- Div Arty - 1610A - From Biscuit White - 5 tks painted with black and white stripes at 187325, moving N.
- CCB - 1630A - Ey tk KO'd 170349 by 76's. Krauts running around tanks also being killed. At 1620 Formosa is adjusting fire on ey vehicle at 171345.
- Div Arty - 1640A - Foundry KO'd 3 tks SE part HATTEN. Lost 1 med and 3 lt tks. Reported ey inf in woods along RITTERSHOFFEN - HATTEN road. Observer saw 1 ey tk 194319.
- G-2 - 1745 - Total tanks KO'd today 6, 1 by 25, 2 by 48, 3 by Arty. May be more. There were 10 tanks came out of the woods at 197325, turned north along edge of woods, were fired on by Arty, 3 KO'd, the balance went north.

Defense Overlay

CCA

CCB

CCR

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Col Schreiber

Arty

6th arty

79 arty

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CCA - 1100 - Report of Lt Sturgis, CO Det C/94 which manned an OP at 15943439 16 and 17 Jan, indicates that white camouflage on some ey tks is quite effective. A Mk LV or V tk about 125 yds directly in front of the OP was picked up only by investigation of a dark circle which proved to be the muzzle of the tk gun. This tk was covered with white cloth and was on the fwd slope of a snow-covered hill. It took other observers several minutes to find the tk after its location was pointed out.

Rear- 1015 - Dependable PW reports Ey Arty requesting fire on 7 tks along RR at Hatten.

CCB - 1015 - Ey inf at 165346 fired on by Formosa at 0955A.

CCR - 1045 - 1 rd Arty fr Az 80 Azim hit Fowl CP, 3 O's, 3 EM wounded.

CCB - 1105A- Forgone KO'd ey tk at 171348 at 1030A. Saw it burn.

Div Arty- 1115A\* Ey AT gun at 16703476. AOP looking for it to fire on it. Ey AT guns at 18763464 and 18303412 being fired on now by 8" Arty. Ey AT gun, Mk VI tk and personnel at pillbox at 17883426 all being fired on by 8" Arty. 23 rds 8" fired on white tks and vehicles at 164342 from 0840A to 0930A. 3 tks left burning.

CCA - 1100 - Ey AT gun at 158342 and AT gun at 159343 definitely located by patrol of Fondel. Both sited to fire NW. Also a fairly elaborate trench system between guns.

CCB - R 1210A- Forgone KO'd ey tk at 1145A. (178347)

CCR - 1230 - Ey in Hatten observed testing flame throwers.

Div Arty- 1350- Our Arty KO'd ey 20 mm flak gun at 159343. 8" firing at ey btry at 155457. Our Arty has 2 cubs up, visibility not too good.

CCA - 1410 - Bismark reports resistance lessened in Rittershoffen. Their troops all around church. Took ey MG nest, near church, killed 7 ey.

CCB - 1420 - In plane Formosa fired 3 rds time fire on ey mortar at 171340. Effect very good. Ey tks believed vic 175346. Formosa firing on bridge at 190348 at 1410A, firing also at 2 tks at 174344. ✓ R, B, A



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- ✓ Div Arty - 1500: 3 direct hits with 240 mm on pillbox at 186347. Knocked large hole in roof. Scatter got 8 hits
- ✓ CCR - 1530: AT gun at S edge of RITTERSHOFFEN, roughly 161335 -- somewhere in woods. Has been shooting at our tks. Unable to locate position of gun.
- ✓ CCB - 1625: Ey smoking OBERRODERN.
- Div Arty AOP - 1518: Saw 3 explosions 300' in air at 158342, possibly gasoline. On RRs S of HATTEN between 20 & 21 eastings, 5 rd blocks.
- ✓ CCA - 1655: From Bismark at 1600: Ey attacking from E on HATTEN, at 1545, Inf and Tks, strength unknown. Our arty on it. Intercept FO to 68: town shelled heavily from E.
- ✓ Rattlesnake: - 1710: Believe ey trying to pull out about 15 tanks. Tank 15913413 KO'd. Tk 16083420 probable. Also firing at Arty and Nebelwerfers in CROATWILLER.
- Biscuit 5 - 1630: 12 - 15 tks at 15953405. Scatter firing on them.
- Redwood AOP - 1630: 3 tks at 195321. Gun flashes at 193335 and 197338. 12 tks at OBENDORF (1212) at 1500. ~~Ey btry at 216370. Scatter now firing.~~
- Redwood AOP - 1645: Ey btry at 216370. Scatter now firing on them.
- ✓ CCA - 1735: Bismark Blue: 4 PWs from RITTERSHOFFEN on way to cage. Killed 8, probably more.
- ↙ CCB - 1755: AOP reports at 1725A: Rocket-like flashes, 12 at a time fairly straight and high in air at 218348. Weapon unknown as yet. *Rear, R-A; Arty*



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CCA — 181815A — ISUM to include 181800A. Ey resistance in RITTERSHOFFEN continues bitter, although direct fire has decreased somewhat. Ey no longer occupies church but has formidable positions in large brick building in rear from which he defends with SA, AW; mortar fire continues slightly less intense. *Rear*

Foster-181830A — From SCATTER 1830A -At 1615 a Scatter AOP adjusted fire on tks and knocked out one tk at R15843415. At 1700 knocked out tk at 16003424. Both tks exploded and burned. 2 other tks were disabled --one at R15843415 --another at R16053426. Out of this group of tks 6 others withdrew and were last seen heading SE at 1715A at R16203420. Between 1600 and 1700 observed 3 vehicles partially hidden at R15843415. 3 friendly tks at R15303434. There was a smoke screen and 4 big fires in RITTERSHOFFEN. One round of HE shell per 15 minutes was falling ~~XXXXXXX~~ at R15533396. There was a fire burning in ASCHBACH and quite ~~in~~ a lot of smoke in HATTEN. *Rear, A, B, R,*

Maj. Booth-1900 - At 1600A tks were observed located at R174378-R177375- R182379 - identified as ey tks. TFW - *Rear*



G-2 Journal 18 Jan 45, Sheet 11.

FOSTER -- 181950A -- Severe counterattack in HATTEN firing everything in the books. Corps Arty firing also. ~~FOUND TO BE UNTRUE~~ ?

CCR -- 182010A -- Arty reports counterattack from N and E on HATTEN undetermined strength or composition. Fowl OP has nothing to report. Biscuit Red firing. ~~(FOUND TO BE UNTRUE)~~ ?

CCR -- 1950A -- ISUM as of 1800A-- 0700, 1400, 1600 vehicles heard moving about HATTEN - E part of town. During PM 50-100 rounds ~~HEAVY~~ fire in HATTEN. Throughout day continuous arty or mortar fire 1 round every 2 minutes. Single med caliber arty fired on our forces 0800-1000 harrasing. Estimated 4 mortars E part of town (120mm). Present time receiving direct flat trajectory fire from R17253420, and R17553420 and R17803420. Tanks and Inf observed about 1800A at R17783360. Enemy in town generally quiet-few snipers attempting to infiltrate our positions. *Rear*

94 --182100 -- Patrol obtained info from friendly doughfeet at 192312-fire fight took place between friendly doughfeet and ey. Ey driven off by BAR fire. At 1945 10 rds ey time fire and 4 rds ey HE fell at 170318. 2 Mk LV's tks being used by ey in orchard at 182325. *Rear*

94 -- 2010 -- 3rd ptrl reports info gained from ptrls of TFW- 20 ey flushed from vic 194315 - fled to NE. Mortar fire fell on TFW ptrl coming from vic 198318. 5 man ey ptrl contacted vic 204293. Arty barrage falling some distance S of posn 180299 at 1845. Small arms tracerfire - indiret from RITTERSHOFFEN falling vic 170318.

Div Arty -2015 -- AOP reports 1 AA gun koed at 158343 - 1 pill box koed at 189347. Fired at flashes at 192338, 196350, 197338, 197341, 218348 and 216369- effect on all. At 1725 Nebelwerfer at 218348 firing 12 rockets.

6 Arty Gp - 2015 -- AOP reports that fire was put on following posns;  
 21453611 --ey rocket gun  
 21863530 --ey btry effect  
 21863520 --ey gun on  
 21563737 --ey btry all  
 21843710 --3 ey guns  
 21893721 --ey btry

CCR -- 2250 -- Our OP located at 161328 reports about 6 flares going straight up - they were on 190 degree azimuth at a 2000 - 3000 yd range. OP in same vic reports flares on 360 degree azimuth at a range of a 1000 yds. Everything else quiet. *B-A-Rear*

G-2 --190005 -- Redwood - Wishbone identified 22 SS Pz Gr Regt of 10 SS Pz Div. 1 PW from 1st Co crossed the RHINE on 16 Jan. Co CP at R125145.

CCB --0020 -- Increased activity in NW part RITTERSHOFFEN. Our observer thinks some are pulling out, at least the hvy equipment. Since arty hit at 1500, popping noises have continued - believe an ammo dump hit. After big rds landed, observer heard motor noises as if they were pulling out. *R A Div Arty Rear*

CCA -- 0034 -- 48 evacuated a med tk under its own power from N end RITTERSHOFFEN.

CCB -- 0035 -- 62 says noise quieted down in edge of town. Apparently vehicles have been shifted around.

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CCA - 0230 -- 4 PW's taken from 5 Co, 125 Regt. 5th and 6th Cos operated as one Co because of hvy loss of men. Consisted of 2 plats - each plat had 30 men, broken down into 3 squads. Each plat had 3 MG's 3 burp guns, grenades and rifles. Entire 2nd bn occupied street from RJ R160337 SE. CP of combined 5 and 6 Cos in 7th house on E side of street from RJ. On W side of street troops are dug in immediately behind the houses. PW states houses vic N and E of church are occupied by troops from 192 Regt. 2nd Bn CP of 125 is at R16123382 - 2nd house from end of street on E side. There is 1-88mm AT gun vic R16143345. PW said he saw 15 AA guns at 222341 - 2 - 81mm mortars at R18403358  
 1 btry unknown cal. at R22804005  
 1 " " " at R22653955  
 1 " " " at R22253935  
 1 " " " at R22103936  
 PW also states CG 21st Pz DIV, Gen. SEUCHTINGER had CP in hotel Westenhof(R19125608) in BERGZABERN on 13 Jan 45. He also saw Paratroop arty moving thru SIEGEN-R2239. PW heard rumor SS troops to relieve paratroopers. (unreliable).  
 CCA-0400- Column of ey vehicles heard moving on the BUHL-HATTEN hwy -(48 report), ey movement at 0230.  
 CCA-0545- ISUM to include 190600A- Ey less active than usual. Some ey vehicles believed still in town. SA fire light. 4 PWs from 5 Co 125 Pg Gr Regt, captured by the 315th. ISUM from BISMARCK estimated 12 killed, 5 wounded, 1 tk damaged.  
 Adv 0555 - ISUM as of 190600A Jan 45. Ey quiet in towns of RITTERSHOFFEN and HATTEN during night. Our observation post located at R161328 reported at 2250A 6 flares going straight up --they were on 190 degree azimuth at a range from 2000 to 4000 yards. From same vic unknown number of flares reported on 360 degree azimuth at a range of 1000 yards. At 0020A our observer heard some activity in NW part of RITTERSHOFFEN which quieted down by 0035A. Apparently vehicles had been shifted around. At 0230A column of ey vehicles heard moving on the BUHL HATTEN road. Ey casualties PWs 4, killed 15, wounded 20.  
 TFW --0715 -- Vehicles with headlights on moving from ASCHBACH to STUNDWILLER at 0710.

Claims 19 Jan: 25 - ✓ 1 AT gun at 179342. - 0945A  
 arty - ✓ 120mm AA at 168345 } - 1200A  
 1 Jk at 167346 }  
 62 - ✓ 1 3P gun } 171347 - 1145A  
 ✓ 2 TKS, 1 possible }  
 arty - ✓ 1 AT gun at 17553335  
 ✓ 4 MT at 178343  
 Bridge at 189347



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- TFW - 0735 - 9 green flares, 3 red and white flares S of HATTEN. Considerable arty coming in.
- TFW - 0715 - Vehicles using healdights moving from ASHBACH to STUNDWILLER at 0710A
- TFW - 0735 - Considerable armor on ridge to N of HATTEN. Arty barrage in HATTEN.
- CCR - 0800 - HATTEN being attacked by armor & inf from NW. Intense flat trajectory arty falling.
- G-2 Rear - 0800A - Send radio car to adv CP. We are going to open net to contact 94.
- CCA - 0805A - One SP gun moving E into RITTERSHOFFEN.
- TFW - 0810A - Hvy attack, armor, inf, and arty, from N,S, & E, 0810A.
- to CO 94 - 0825A - Send In O this Hq immediately. Submit patrol reports each 30 min. by radio or messenger pending further orders. (By radio, encoded).
- 94 - 0825A Ey demonstration at 165327 at 0740A
- CCR - 0828A - Attk continuing road S of RITTERSHOFFEN TO RR Sta. being smoked by ey. Flat trajectory fire being received from E, S of Ry at HATTEN.
- 94 - 0830A - Ey tk at 165327 at 0730A.
- Div Arty - 0835A - Foundry (47) reports ey attkg from NE, E and SE
- CCB - 0855A - PW's taken by Bingo (3/313) just S of obarroedern. 3 HTs and a peep and personell. They were flushed by Forgone and gave up.
- 19 (RI) - 0855A - We need medics. Front attack on our SE getting heavy SA fire. Keep arty coming on N flank.
- 19 (RI) - 0820A ey C/A'ing again (HATTEN). ey laid terrific arty barrage, SA fire E sector, AW fire from both sides. Personnel pushing. Expect tk attak from forest.
- G-2 Rear - 0925A - At 16423426 P/infor shows considerable activity of tracked vehicles suspected ey OP.
- G-2 rear - 0935A-- CA in HERLESHEIM area this AM (Bachle)
- CCR 0945A - 2 PWs 3/34 FGR. They say 2&3Cos are ther (HATTEN). 1st Co distributed among 2 & 3 Cos because of casualties. They surrendered because they had enough of our arty. They say rest of men in Co are fed up and are waiting fo r us to attk to surrender. Morale low. They were in town (both cos) mission to hold. They left Co & wandered into our lines thes AM. Said they didn't see how ey could attk as they were too tired.
- 19 (RI) - 0940 - Sector has quieted. Situation appears to be in hand. No ground lost.







CCB - 1200A - 7 PWs - 3 German HTs, captured at 167353 - 2 & 4 Cos Rcn Bn 21 Pz Div Supposed to be relieved in RITTERSHOFFEN last night told to take road NE from RITTERSHOFFEN and on to NIEDERRODERN. NCO's knew where to go but they took off when fired upon. Rumor they were to be relieved by both VG and SS units - said it was only a rumor. Ordered to stay off RITTERSHOFFEN - HATTEN road as there was too much fire on it. Came to RITTERSHOFFEN a week ago. Been there since. 4 Co had 35 men when they came in, only 18 left in Co now. Most of personnel of co were in the halftracks - about 15 men. 8 killed or escaped. Came to RITTERSHOFFEN from SAARLAUTERN. 4 Co took a beating there. Thought 30 men left in 2 Co. Several men killed. Our arty very effective. Mortar Co in RITTERSHOFFEN lost 14 veh, all mortars and armor from mortar fire. The mortar Co was with their Bn. Bn has a cannon Co - they lost 2 - 75's, all they had. Have an AT Co with 75 mm AT guns. Tanks - Div has mk IV, V & VI tks. Haven't seen any in RITTERSHOFFEN in 3 days. They left RITTERSHOFFEN 3 days ago. 4 Co CP in RITTERSHOFFEN until yesterday when it moved.

CCB - 1305A - Ey inf at 188345. Ey in open at 170345. Both fired on by 499, the 1st at 1245 & 2nd 1300. At 1245, 499 fired at PB 188345 & put hole in it.

Div Arty - 1345A - Formosa now adjusting on ey Btry at <sup>19573419</sup>~~195340~~. Will put 8" on it.

CCB - 1320A - S-2 Forgon reports 2 or 3 MK VI tks at 180341 jockeying into posn.

CCB - 1345A - At <sup>195340</sup>~~19573419~~ 2 mort under formosa fire. At 182347 ey inf in open. Formosa is firing on them.

CCR - 1350A - Things are relatively quiet in HATTEN. Intermittent S/A, Hvy arty & mortar fire.

CCR - 1455 - Pressure has slackened; receiving sniper small arms fire. Some flat-trajectory fire from N of town. Also receiving Arty and mortar fire.

~~Rear CP-1525 from Redwood - On Ey Flares. In moving~~

CCA - 1525A - Kraut very alert in RITTERSHOFFEN - sensitive to any movement. Bismakr 6.

Rear CP - 1525 - From Redwood on ey flares. <sup>ENEMY FLARES</sup> (In moving situation when issuance of new codes is difficult, a standard flare code is used. Red - enemy is attacking or is call for arty barrage, White - we are here, Green extend arty range. In static situation combinations of colors are usually used & frequently changed. Any combination containing red means ey is attacking or calls for arty barrage. Flares way behind lines, they are usually work of agents and can mean anything.)

CCR - 1530A - In HATTEN, S/A and ey attk has diminished. <sup>Few</sup>~~Four~~ snipers active in E end of town. Intermittent <sup>arty</sup> and mortar on posns. Considerable flat trajectory Hvy fire from ridge N of town.

CCA - 1530A - Tks received direct Hvy fire from woods N-N?W edge of town. Either AT, tks or SP in RITTERSHOFFEN.



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Rear - 1540: From Redwood - Wishbone rpts during current operations vic bridgehead that considerable number of American Medium Tks have been either destroyed or captured by ey. It is believed that the ey will make every attempt to recondition these tks using them with allied or German marks to gain surprise and confusion. All units warned to be on the alert and incidents of this nature will be reported immediately to this Hq through intelligence channels.

CCA - 1625: Arty reaction to our tk fire is coming as far back as 1/315 posns approx 50 rds per ea of 3 Co areas.

94 - 1630: Inf reports to a 94th patrol: 50 man ey patrol 202311.

ISUM to 191800: 1825 - Ey attk on HATTEN with Inf and tanks at start of period made slight gains diminished by 1530A. Since then, only intermittent mortar, flat trajectory arty from ridge N of town, med arty from direction of BUHL, sniping in E part of town. Ey continued very sensitive to advances in RITTERSHOFFEN, replied to our tank fire with intense HV gun fire from woods N of town. Ey moved out of church but retained strongpoint in adjacent building. (Sent to VI Corps)

CCA - ISUM as of 191800A: Ey resistance continues stiff in RITTERSHOFFEN. Ey arty reaction to our Tk gun fire consisted of approx 150 rds of lt arty which was about 25 min in coming. High velocity gun fire recd from the woods NW of RITTERSHOFFEN on our tks. Ey continues very sensitive to our advances in RITTERSHOFFEN. His moving out of the church had no effect on the strongpoint located there. He occupied a large brick building in the rear of the church.

CCR - ISUM AS OF 191800A: High velocity fire falling on HATTEN. Med Arty fire coming from direction of BUHL. Ey gained a little in c/a today.

Formosa fired on the following targets today: Bridge at 189347 and demolished the approaches. Pillbox OP on hill #160 at 178343 with 240mm. No direct hits were scored. 4 rds destroyed 4 trucks. This pillbox is armed with an AT gun in a 360 degree revolving turret. The guard changes at 1050A. Appears on photo #4111.

CCR - 1910: At 1630, friendly Inf to the S of 94 reported a 50 man ey patrol at 202311. At 1800, we observed large puffs of black smoke NE of the church in HATTEN. At 1900 there was MG fire coming from HATTEN to the SW. AT guns in the southern tip of RITTERSHOFFEN continue to fire on our tks and armored vehicles in spite of hvy shelling by our arty and tks. There is a definite increase in ey arty and mortar fire on our troops in HATTEN. HV fire from the ridge N of HATTEN continues. Some SA fire S of HATTEN near the RR station being directed at our OP at R-161338.



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Div Arty 1935: Formosa: Vehicular movement on the N trail between RITTERSHOFFEN and HATTEN at 1930A.

TF WAHL 2030: Hvy vehicular traffic on road between BUHL and HATTEN.

94 - 2330: White flare observed at 168327 at 2300A.

CCR, CCA, CCB - 2330: Quiet.

VI Corps - 2330: Ey pressure hvy in DRUSENHEIM area. Situation somewhat obscure at this time. Some pressure in BITCHE salient.

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CCR - 0035: Ey activity increasing in HATTEN area. Two tks heard approaching the town -- one from the E; the other from the SE.

CCR - 0205: Everything quiet.

CCA, CCB, CCR - 0520: Everything quiet.

ISUM as of 200600A Jan 45 to VI Corps: At 1930A, ey vehicular traffic was heard on the N trail between HATTEN and RITTERSHOFFEN. Hvy vehicular traffic was reported on the BUHL - HATTEN road at 2030. Ey patrols became very aggressive and one tk was heard approaching HATTEN from the E and another from the SE at 0030A. Activity died down after that and it remained relatively quiet for the rest of the period.

94 - 0700: Negative report.



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94 - 0800A - No Change.

VI Corps - 0800A - Bridgehead: Bn inf cut off yesterday at DRUSENHEIM, a few got back last night. Very quiet night. Activity started at 0600A - Ey tks approaching posns at 085133. AW fire from woods at 650914. 45 Div: Fairly quiet night. Intense arty fire. XV Corps: Quiet during night arty fire reported.

CCA - 0900A - No ey activity reported in RITTERSHOFFEN.

CCB - 0900A - Some ey arty activity while Forgone was moving last night.

CCR - 0900A - Considerable ey flare activity during night. Ey activity, both vehicular and personnel, to E of HATTEN. Ey getting bolder, observed smoking cigarettes in E part of HATTEN last night. Considerable vehicular activity to SE of town during night, much greater than usual. Tanks have been observed to SE of town in posn to fire to S and NW. Ey personnel observed directly N of HATTEN. At daylight this morning ey activity within town appears slight. PW taken by I Co, 242 inf, captured at 2330 vic R - 174318. Unit 2 Co 35 PGR. From 3 man patrol sent to learn our dispositions. Disposition of ey Bn somewhere between HATTEN RR and woods. 2 Co somewhere near RR Sta. CP 2 Co in House just E of RR Sta. Strength of 3 Co is 25 men, 1 officer. Strength of 1st Bn about 80 men. Armament of 2 Co is 3 MGs, each man has a Pz Faust. States paratroopers have had heavy losses and estimates 30 - 40 men left in 1st Bn. Paratroopers told PW that they were to be relieved by 2200A yesterday by an entire SS Div (RITTERSHOFFEN) and HATTEN, that they had not arrived by 2200A, but believes the relief has taken place by now (Whipple says ey movement E and SE of HATTEN during night could be this relief). PW also states an Engr unit was coming down to lay mines from RITTERSHOFFEN S to woods. PW had been told that RITTERSHOFFEN was completely in German hands. PW reports 75 mm AT guns ~~is~~ located at R - 17873315.

TFW - 1000A - Reference 3 PWs from 2 Co 35 PGR. The minefield to be laid by Engrs from WISSEMBOURG was to be ~~on~~ secondary road from 16033255 to 16903185. Ey knew of our tk attk of 18 Jan from our Pws and had put 2 - 75 mm AT guns at 1783314. Guns were there last night. Last order was to hold ground as ey feared attk. Regt has been 3/4 destroyed. Heavy casualties from arty. C<sup>+</sup> 2nd Co 17903330. 2d Co at 177773313. 1st Co dug-in between RR and woods at 17673280. Bunker at 18753376 is aide Sta. No regular vehicles for supply and evacuation. Bn Cp in bunker at 18403332.



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CCB - 1040A - 499th firing on ey infvic pill box 171346.

CCB - 1155A - Inf in open at 176346 at 1055A. Same message inf & 2 vehicles at 173348 at 1105A. 499th firing on them. Otherwise all quiet.

CCR - 1155A - 4 ey tks observed by A OP at 177334 at 1155A, Med arty being adjusted. otherwise all quiet.

94 - 1200A - NTR.

CCA - 1150A - Ey continues alert and sensitive in RITTERSHOFFEN. Slight decrease in Ey mortar fire.

CCR - 1100A - Inf in open 167347 being fired on by arty.

CCA 1115A - Mixed lt & med moderate arty, & mortars & scattered SA fire.

6. G-2 Rear - 1200A - ISUM as of 201200A: Little activity in HATTEN and RITTERSHOFFEN during period. Ey Inf and vehicles on high ground NW of HATTEN and 4 Ey tks S part of HATTEN fired on by our arty between 1040A and 1200A. Ey continues alert and sensitive in RITTERSHOFFEN. Ey mortar fire on RITTERSHOFFEN slightly decreased. Weather: colder, light snow fell throughout period.

Div Arty - 1300A - Quiet as a church. Biscuit Blue fired on AT gun at 170345. Formosa adjusted 240 on pillbox Hill 160 at 179342 - 5 direct hits & started fire. Plane now adjusting on camouflaged vehicle or gun at 167352. Arty & Hvy mortar on RR Sta at 16053290 at noon.

CCR - 1415A - Ey laying smoke in E part of Hatten 200 yds E of outcrops at 1400A. CCB reports smoke screen N from road between Rittershoffen and Hatten - 400 yds E of 62. firing into it and getting fire back, arty on 62.

CCA - 1430 - no activity reported.

CCR - 1500 - Smoke could be WP. Few rounds WP fell vic OP by RR Sta.

CCB - 1500 - nothing more on smoke. Will check and call back.

CCR - 1510 - Biscuit Red has been adjusting on E part Hatten. Probably accounts for smoke.

CCB - 1510 - Smoke cleared up. nothing developed. Probably to prevent an adjustment on a pillbox. Brings Blue in Oberroden had some pressure on it but now cleared up.



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CCA - 1800 - no change  
CCR - 1800 - nothing.

62/sum as of 1200 Ey snowed ridge N of Rittershoffen  
at 1400 but nothing developed. No change in  
Rittershoffen or Hatten. All quiet.

~~Ritterhoffen: no change.~~

Couldnt get to Foster's Fountain; inaudible  
after 5th switchboard. V.G.

Sus Sus  
Fuller Bishop  
Foreign Friends  
~~John W. Bond~~ Bond Bond.

Bigmark  
Bigmark Beer  
Yester

Trouble on

Al Dixon Red 2.

Rept for Bidrop & Annals. stopped  
of uniforms & dog tags at 1621. Be on lookout for  
gen. sol in Ann uniform.

2119

212300

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Mines laid by 125TH ARM'D. ENGR. BN

Laid by 14th Div.  
 Exact information  
 not yet obtained.

Secret

To be closed  
 tonight by 19th Div.  
 100 yds

To be closed tonight  
 by C.G.B.  
 250 yd. Gap

17  
 + 35

Daisy chain  
 to close Rd  
 now open.

Rittershoffen

Road  
 blocked

all mines  
 Laid on surface  
 Hasty minefield

Gap House to RR

Gap 40 yd

Mines to North  
 from N.E. Corner  
 of house

15 yd Gap across trail

14  
 32 +

Overlay

Hasty Mine Field Location &  
 Mine Blocks.

Map: 31-14 1+2 Scale 1:25,000  
 \* Gaps on roads provided with  
 Daisy chains 100 yds

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0800		1		79th Div - G-2 Report #191, 172200A.
0800		2		36th Div - G-2 Report #344, 202200A.
0830		3		7th Army - Bulletin #9, 18 Jan 45.
0830		4		7th Army - Ltr, "Weekly Directive Index", 16 Jan 45.
0900		5		7th Army PWB - Leaflet Frontbrief No 16, C-16, 18 Jan 45.
0930		6		79th Div - G-2 Periodic Rpt #193, 192200A.
1030		7		45th Div - G-2 Periodic Rpt #146, 192400A.
1100		8		79th Div - G-2 Periodic Rpt #194, 202200A.
1100		9		12th AD - G-2 Periodic Rpt #17, 192400A.
1400		10		SIAM - Noon Edition News, 21 Jan 45.
1430		11		CCB - S-2 Periodic Report #23, 172400A.
1500		12		CCR - PW Information, 19 Jan 45.
1500		13		CCR - PW Information, 16 Jan 45.
1500		14		CCR - PW Information, 14 Jan 45.
1500		15		CCA - PW Information, 18 Jan 45.
1500		16		CCB - S-2 Periodic Report #25, 192400A.
1600		17		Div Arty - Daily Periodic Report #48, 201800A.
1600		18		IPW CCA - PW Information 17 Jan 45.
1730		19		Engr - Hasty Minefield Location.
1730	1730	20		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Rpt #21, 202400A.
1740		21		G-4 - Daily Memo #42, 21 Jan 45.
2025		22		VI Corps - Info regarding ey movements and disposition of ey.
2300		23		G-2 Journal from Adv CP.



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0830		1		14th AD - Memo, "Appearance of Officers", 21 Jan 45.
0830		2	202400	7th Army - G-2 Report #159.
0830		3	212400	G-3 - G-3 Report #21.
0830		4	202400	45th Div - G-2 Periodic Report #147.
0830		5		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 480 to include 211800A.
0830		6		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Report #158, 192400A.
0830		7		G-3 - Operations Memorandum, 21 Jan 45.
0830		8		14th AD - Ltr, "Commendation", 20 Jan 45.
0830		9		7th Army - Msg regarding jet-propelled planes to operate over EUROPE.
0830		10		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Report #159, 202400A.
0830		11		7th Army - G-2 Report #158, 192400A.
0830		12		MII - Special Orders on new IPW Team, also relieving Lt Lykus, PI Officer from 14th, 17 Jan 45.
0830		13		MID - 14 copies "Military Reports #22, Oct 1944.
0830		14		7th Army - Interrogation Reports #716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 17-19 Jan 45.
0830		15		SIAM - Message Intercepts 79th, 45th Divs, 21 Jan 45.
0830		16		SIAM - Noon Edition News, 21 Jan 45.
0830		17		SIAM - Evening Edition News, 21 Jan 45.
0845		18		Div Arty - Civilian reports HAGUENAU heavily shelled last night.
	0850	19		Staff - Password out for 22 Jan 45.
	0900	20		Units - Distributed Parole & Countersign List No 16, 21 Jan 45.
0900		21		G-3 - Operations Instructions #14, 211800A.
0915		22		Surg - PWs thru Clearing Station 20 Jan 45. (None)
0915		23		IPW CCA - PW report, 21 Jan 45.
0915		24		Div Arty - Daily Periodic Report #49, 211800A.
0915		25		IPW CCA - IPW Report, 21 Jan 45.
0915		26		7th Army PWB - Leaflets "Hour Is At Hand, No A-71, 20 Jan 45.
1010		27		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 481 to include 220600A.
1135		28		Div Arty - 1 tk and 2 vehicles and some personnel at 08262134. As of 1135 ey vehicle with personnel at 08112147. At 1225 our IO reported: 6 personnel carriers unloading 12 to 20 men at 110195. 30 vehicles in the 0919 square. One US tank and one US peep among them.
1215		29		103 Div - G-2 Report #63, 212400A.
1315		30		Surg - No PWs thru Clearing Station 21 Jan 45.
1330		31		G-4 - Daily Memo #48, 22 Jan 45.



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IN	OUT		
1510		32	SIAM - Message Intercepts 100th, 103rd, 44th, 45th Divs.
1540		33	ETO - General Orders #2, (Awards)
1540		34	VI Corps - General Orders #4, 19 Jan 45.
1540		35	36th Div - G-2 Periodic Report #345, 212200A.
1540		36	79th Div - G-2 Periodic Report #195, 212200A.
1540		37	ETO - Battle Experiences, #36, 37, 15-16 Jan 45.
1540		38	7th Army PWB - Radio Monitoring Report, 20 Jan 45.
1605		39	SIAM - Noon Edition News, 22 Jan 45.
1755		40	1715 G-3 - AOP reports bridge blown in HAGUENAU at 1628. Btry of 88's at R-156183 shooting at all Cubs. P-47's bombed N of GAMBSHEIM. Lots of AA. Vehicle observed burning at R-092222. 6 or 8 vehicles in clearing at R-141197. Two ey tks at R-045250. MERTZWILLER bridge out. Some of our vehicles probably Jeeps seen traveling S at Q-956292.
1900		41	Sig O - Saw two flares, either orange or red, about 1700, 1 mile from woods to the S of us.
1900		42	Div Arty - 499th AOP reported ey CP in bldg 084216 also a couple of vehicles around bldg. 25 tanks reported at 118131. VI Corps Arty reported head of 4-mile ey column at 854400, being attacked by our fighters at 1750.
1955		43	G-3 - Div Arty has new mission of reinforcing 36th Div. CP to be at HOCHFELDEN.
2000		44	AG - 23 copies TM #1, VI Corps, Security Trng, 10 Jan 45.
2000		45	AG - 24 copies TM #6, VI Corps, Security, 4 July 44.
2000		46	14 AD - Ltr, "Forty-eight Hour Passes in Paris Area", 20 Jan 45.
2000		47	1855 VI Corps - Summary of enemy situation.
2030		48	ETO - Opns Memo No 28, 1944.
2030		49	19th - Request for Censor stamp, 21 Jan 45.
2045		50	SIAM - Message Intercept 45th, 79th, 44th, 100th, Divs, 22 Jan 45.
2045		51	SIAM - Tac/R Intercept, 22 Jan 45.
2140		52	VI Corps - Ltr "Radio Security", 18 Jan 45.
2145		53	94 - (G-3) - 1st tr is on way to relieve the 12th AD.
2200		54	ETO - Supplement #3 to Operations Memorandum #28.
2200		55	45 Inf Div - G-2 Periodic Report #148 as of 212400A.
2200		56	VI Corps - G-2 ISUM #482 to include 221200A Jan 45.
2200		57	G-2 ISUMS from 103, 45, 79, 36 Divs as of 221800A.
2225		58	G-2 ISUM #483 to include 221800A Jan 45 from VI Corps.





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IN	OUT			
1405		21		Capt Bachle: Report, 22 Jan 45.
1515		22		ETO - Immediate Report No 30, Combat Observations, 17 Jan 45.
1524		23		SIAM - Noon Edition News, 23 Jan 45.
1525		24		36th Div - G-2 Periodic Report #346, 222200A.
1525		25		79th Div - G-2 Periodic Report #196, 222200A.
1525		26		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 485, to include 231200A Jan 45.
1600		27		SIAM - 45th Div 1500 - 36 Engrs report ey action in right sector. 180th Inf - No mortar or arty received. Placed our mortar fire on a house and killed 3 Krauts vic 801371. No further attempts by ey to dig in on hill NE of REIPERTSWILLER. 274th Inf reported 2 Mk IV tanks in right Bn zone.
1615		28		TWX ISUMS from 45th, 36th, 79th, 103d Divs.
	1620	29		Dist G-2 Intelligence Summary No 39, 23 Jan 45.
1615		30	1615	SIAM * Intercept msgs from 45th Divs
1620		31		G-4 - Daily Memo #44, 23 Jan 45.
1740		32		SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div as of 1720.
1750		33		SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div as of 1750.
1840		34		SIAM - Message intercept from 100th Div as of 1745.
1845		35		G-3 - 94th reports from troops on screening mission are negative. A- Tr reports what appeared to be a parachute over the town of WOLSCHEIM (7911) at 1730.
1920		36		WD - What the soldier thinks No. 4
1940		37		G-2 (CCB) - CCB's CP opened WINTERHOUSE (Q9721) at 1930.
1955		38		SIAM - Message intercept from the 45th Div, as of 1830 23 Jan 45.
2000		39		G-3 - Correction of location of CCB CP.
2000		40		Surg - No PW's thru clr sta 22 Jan 45.
2040		41		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM as of 231800 36, 79, 45, 103 Div.
2050		42		SIAM- Message intercepts from the 3rd and 45th Divisions.
2120		43		SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div as of 1900A.
2135		44		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 486 to include 231800A.
2135		45		55th Ord GP - Summary of German Tanks, 22 Jan 45.
2145		46		SIAM - 3rd Div message as of 232145.
2155		47		SIAM - Message intercept from 103rd Division.
2330		48		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Report No 161, to 222400A Jan 45
2330		49		PWB - Propaganda Leaflets and Translations
2330		50		7 Army - G-2 Report No 161, to inc 222400A Jan 45





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TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
IN	OUT			
2330		51		7 Army - IPW Report No 729, 20 Jan 45
2330		52		7 Army - CSDIC Report No 701, 21 Jan 45
2330		53		AFHQ - Combined Weekly Intelligence Summary No 2, 161200A Jan 45
2330		54		AFHQ - Intelligence Notes, No 51, Jan 16, 1945
2330		55		AFHQ - Index to Intelligence Notes Nos 81-90
2330		56		SHAEF - Intelligence Notes No 91, 16 Jan 45
2330		57		7 Army - Letter, "Captured Enemy Air Documents.
2330		58		103 Inf Div - G-2 Periodic Reports No 61 and 64,
2340		59		SIAM - Message Intercepts from 79 Div.
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0100		1	24 January 1945	SIAM - New Sheets to inc 232000A Jan 45.
0800		2		G-3 G-3 Report No 23 to inc 232400A Jan 45.
0815		3	0815	SIAM - Msg intercepts from TF Herren, 45th & 3rd Divs.
	0830	4		Distributed Parole and Countersign for today.
0835		5		G-2 ISUMS from 36, 103, 79, 45 Divs.
0900		6		SHAEF - Ltr "Responsibility for Assembly Centers for Displaced Persons and Refugees.", 18 Dec 44.
0930		7		45 Inf Div - G-2 Periodic Report No 149, to inc 222400A Jan 45
0935		8		IPW Team - Interrogation Report for 222400 to 232400 Jan 45.
0940		9		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM #487 to include 240600A Jan 45.
0945		10		SIAM - Message intercepts from 79 Div
0950		11		SIAM - Message intercepts from 36 Div
1000		12		36th Div - G-2 Periodic Report #346, 222200A.
1000		13		CCB - Overlays of ey situation.
1015		14		Surg - No PWs thru Clearing Station 23 Jan 45.
	1020	15		VI Corps - TWX on PWs captured by 14 AD 23 Jan 45.
1105		16		I&E - Daily War News, 24 January 45.
1110		17		Sig O - SOI effective Jan 28, 1945 to Feb 3, 1945.
1110		18		14 AD - ltr " Civilian circulation"
1120		19		7th Army - Delinquency report of 22 Jan 45.
1130		20		SIAM - Message intercepts from the 45th Div at 0940 and 1000.
1130		21		SIAM - Message intercent from 79th Div at 1030.
1140		22		SIAM - Message intercept from 100th Div at 0845A.
1150		23		Div Arty - Daily Periodic Report Nol 51



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1145		24	1150	SIAM - Message intercepts from 44th & TF HERREN as of 0915 & 0905
1210		25		SIAM - Message intercept from 100th Div as of 0930A.
1300		26		VI Corps - VI corps combat troop list 231800A Jan 45.
1300		27		ETO - Immediate report No. 27 ( Combat observations). 12 Jan 45.
1310		28		SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div, as of 1035 and 1200.
1320		29		G-4 - G-4 Daily Memo No. 45, 24 Jan 45.
1325		30		SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div, as of 1115 Jan 45.
1345		31		SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div as of 241200 Jan 45.
1410		32		SIAM - Message intercept from VI Corps as of 241245A
1415		33		SIAM - Message intercept from VI Corps as of 241240A.
1420		34		SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div as of 241330A
1425		35		VI Corps - General orders No. 5 as of 22 Jan 45.
1425		36		14 Ad -- Special orders No. 17 as of 23 Jan 45.
1425		37		ETO - Battle experiences No. 39.
1425		38		398 AAA - Daily action report as of 0001 23 Jan to 2400 23 Jan.
	1425	39		14 AD G-2 - Intelligence summary No 40
1500		40		SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div as of 241415A.
1630		41		SIAM - 79 Div - 2 small groups ey observed at 1030A vic 081211 and 081213.
1640		42		36 Div - G-2 Periodic Report No 347, to include 232200A Jan 45
1640		43		79 Div - G-2 Periodic Report No 197, to inc 232200A Jan 45
1640		44		ISUMs from 103 Div, 36 Div, 79 Div as of 1200A Jan 45
1640		45		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 488 to inc 241200A Jan 45
1700		46		Maj Herter, DivArty - Msgs on situation in bridgehead area.
1705		47		SIAM - Noon <del>x</del> edition of news.
1735		48	1735	SIAM - Msg Intercept from 79th Div.
1945		49		SIAM - Message Intercepts from 45 Div
1945		50		SIAM - Message Intercepts from 100 Div



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IN	OUT			
1945		51		PI - Photo Distribution List, 20 Jan 45
1945		52		7 Army - IPW reports no s 736, 733, 734, 735, 730, 731, 732
1945		53		7 Army - CSDIC Reports Nos 702 and 703
1945		54		7 Army - G-2 Report No 152 to inc 232400A Jan 45
1945		55		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Report No 162, to 232400A Jan 45
1850		56		SIAM - 17 ey acrgo vehicles moving from R-1420 to SCHINHEIM then W at 1530A. One FW 190 flying high W of HAGUENEAU, first Q-8520 then R-1501 at 1620A.
2020		57		3rd Div - G-2 Report No 159 to inc 221200A Jan 45.
2025		58		Div Arty - Report on traffic on SCHERRHEIM - DRUSENHEIM road
2030		59		ETOUSA - SOP No 26, Burials and Effects
2030		60		45 Div - G-2 Periodic Report No 150, to inc 232400A Jan 45
2030		61		ETOUSA - Circular No 1, "Immunization"
2030		62		7 Army - Circular No 5, 21 Jan 45
2030		63		ISUMs from 36 Div, 79 Div, 103 Div, and 45 Div as of 1800A
2045		64		398 AAA AW -Daily Action Report to inc 232400A Jan 45.
2045		65		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 489 to inc 241800A Jan 45.
2045		66		SIAM - 79 Div - SP fire recieved this afternoon vic 0722. 30 ey reported 069231.
2215		67	2200	G-3 - Msge from VI Corps G-3.
2300		68		SIAM - Messages from TF HERRIN, 44 Div, and 3 Div.
2315		69		14 DIV ARTY - 79 Div reports ey penetration.
2320		70		SIAM -Messages from 45 Div, 3 Div and 79 Div.
2355		71		SIAM - recd Evening News Edition.
25 Jan 45				
0245		1		Weather forecast for 26 and 27 Jan 45.
0330		2		CCB - Info from 79th & 36 Divs - At 0142A 25 Jan, 2 officers and 25 MM captured from 35 and 119 Regts of 25 Pz Gr Div. Attack is coming against 79th vic 9726, also 36th rec'd considerable arty during night. French at KILSTETT rec'd a hvv attack.
0720		3		CCB - Ey put bridge across river at 989256. Unknown number of tks moving E to W at 989257. Reduced ey at 9625. Ey overran a squad just left of NEUBOWIG.
0730		4		G-3 - Summary of messages from 0030 to 0630.
0730		5		G-3 - G-3 Report, 242400A.
0740		6		G-3 - Col Connors informed us that CCB was released to the 79th Div and ordered us to move CCA to the general vic vacated.



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0825		7		Capt Phillips left CP to visit CCA, CCR.
0820		8		Div Arty - 0300 CCB reported gun flashes at OHLUNGEN. At 0305 CCB reported one plat surrounded in that sector 064230. 200 or 300 Germans around the factory.
0815		9		G-3 - To Div Engr: Have C-125 revert to CCA immediately. Also instructed to have Ln 0 report to CCA immediately.
0845		10		IPW - Division Interrogation Report for period 232400A to 242400A Jan 45.
0900	0905	11		VI Corps - PW report for period 232400 to 242400 Jan 45.
0915		12		Div Arty - Daily Periodic Report, 241800A.
	0915	13		Distributed Parole and Countersign for today.
0935		14		Sixth Army Gp - Ltr "Ground Fire on Friendly A/C", 11 Jan 45.
0935		15		7A - TM #2 "AA SL's Employed in Ground Role", 16 Jan 45.
0945		16		G-3 (CCB) - Two friendly tks KO'd by friendly trs vic 993249.
0945		17		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM #490 to include 250600A.
1000		18	0938	SIAM - Msg Intercept from 79th Div.
1020		19		G-3 Capt Blackwell's report on CCB at 0915
1020		20		G-3 - CCA ordered to move 48 to vic of LUSTEIN and the combat command placed on a 30 minute alert.
1030		21		SIAM - Message intercept from 79 Div
1040		222		ISUMs from 45 Div, 79 Div, 103 Div, 36 Div, and weather fore cast
1045		23		SIAM - Message intercept from 79 Div
1050		24		IPW - No PWs through Ctr station 24 Jan 45
1055		25		SIAM - Message intercepts from 36 Div
1150		26		Div Arty- SCHWEIGHAUSEN is not surrounded, we have 3 companies in town and everything under control.
1150		27		Div Arty - Reported combat patrol of 40 men got thru MUHLHAUSEN AS far as SCHILLERSDORF.
1210		28		SIAM - (45th Div) - Message intercepts as of 0900 and 0830.
1245		29		SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div as of 1020.
1255		30		G-3 (CCB) - 68th in positions at 1150 and ready to jump off at 1230.
1320		31		SIAM - Message intercept from 100th Div at 1150A.
1330		32		SIAM - Message intercept from 45 Div at 1315A.
1337		33		SIAM - Message intercept from 79 Div at 1245A.
1345		34		G-4 - G-4 Daily Memo No 46, 25 Jan 45
1400		35		G-3- CCA will go on 2 hour alert instead of 30 minute alert.
1400		36		SIAM - Message Intercept from 45 Div, at 1300A.



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1415		37	14	AD - General Orders No 3, 23 Jan 45
1415		38	7	Army - Bulletin No 11, 22
1415		39	7	Army - PWB Bulletin No 109, 23 Jan 45
1420		40	SIAM	- Messages from 45 and 3 Div.
1435		41	CCA	- CCA attack got off about 1230A. Advanced with little opposition.
1440		42	SIAM	- Message intercepts from 36 Div, 1415A.
1500		43	SIAM	- Message intercepts from 36 Div as of 251408A
1515		44	VI Corps	- G-2 ISUM No 491 to inc 251200A Jan 45
1600		45	SIAM	- Messages from TF HERREN, 3 Div, CCB, and 79 Div.
1600		46	SIAM	- News Noon edition
1600		47	ISUMs	from 45 Div, 36 Div, 79 Div, and 103 Div.
	1700	48	Bnits	- Dist Intelligence Summary #41, 25 Jan 45.
1715		49	G-3	- Report from CCB by Assistant S-3.
1720		50	SIAM	- 44th Div - Arty fire previously reported in SA RRALBE (Q-4448) resulted in blowing bridge in town. Arty believed directed by flare or radio in either HERBIPZHEIM or SARRALBE.
1900		51	79th Div	- G-2 Periodic Report #198, 242200A.
1900		52	7th Army	- Circular #4, 20 Jan 45.
1900		53	ETO	- Battle Experiences, 19 Jan 45.
1900		54	G-3	- Report from CCB - An overlay will be sent showing the troop dispositions. The 25th is in its assembly area and will remain there for the night. 68th reports that they killed about 150 Germans during the day and took 50 to 60 prisoners. D-94 is located at MINVERSHEIM out but intends to move to HUFFENDORF. Everything seems under control and are working on a security plan.
1900		55	CCB	- ISUM #1: Est Bn of ey attacked on our left flank from woods vic Q-984245 at 1640A. Ey withdrew back into woods after suffering heavy casualties. Est at 150 killed, 40 wounded, 37 PWs. Considerable SA fire from woods vic Q-984245. 12 rounds Arty reported falling SE of OHLUNGEN at 1500, caliber undetermined. PWs identified as being from 9th, 11th, and 12th Cos of 9th, 11th, 12th Cos of 1st and 2nd Bns of 20th Regt, 7th Para Div. 2 PW from 19th Regt, 7th Para Div.
1915		56	SIAM	- 45th Div - Very little ey activity reported. Mortars in 8238 square harassed 36th Engrs throughout. 180th Inf received mortar fire along entire front at 1725A but nothing offensive developed.
1940		57	Div Arty	- CCB reports a civilian apprehended driving a bycycle into BISCHWILLER from the NE reported 20 arty pieces extending NE from 150182 to 165195.
1945		58	G-3	- Report from Lt Eagleton, Ord Ln O, Mn situation around CCB.
2000		59	G-3	- CO, Div Arty recommended 500th be atchd CCA. CCA notified.



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IN	OUT	TIME DATE	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
2030	60		3d Div - G-2 Periodic Report #160, 231200A.
2030	61		SIAM - Info msg from TF HERRON as of 251700A.
2100	62		SIAM - Info msgs from 79th Div, 1800, 1810, 1815.
2115	63		VI Corps - T/O for Miscellaneous Detachments, 25 Jan 45.
2115	64		VI Corps - ISUM No 492 to include 251800A.
2120	65		SIAM - Info msgs from 79 Div as of 2120A.
2130	66		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Report No 163 ( 2 Copies )
2210	67		SIAM - Info msgs from 79 Div as of 1825A
2220	68		TWX ISUMS From 45th, 79th, 103d, 36th Divs as of 1800A.
2235	69		SIAM - 36th Div reports guns in position and tank movement.
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0030	1		SIAM - Msge Intercepts from 3rd Div.
0420	2		IPW - Captured ey aerial photo & documents.
0040	3		SIAM - Evening News Editions.
0730	4		Distributed parole and countersign to staff
0800	5		IPW - Interrogation report for 24-25 Jan 45.
0815	6		G-3 CCB - 68 jumped off at 0730A. Everything suspiciously quiet. 25 will remain in present position.
0830	7		VI CORPS - PW report for 24-25 Jan 45
0835	8		G-3 - G-3 Report No 25, to 252400A Jan 45
0830	9		G-3v- Elements CCB now on E-W line 248. No opposition.
0900	10		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM to inc 260600A Jan 45
0925	11		7 A - Radio Monitoring Report Bulletin No. 110, 24 Jan 45.
0925	12		62nd - Transfer of censorship stamp #47450.
0930	13		G-3 - CCB - TFWahl directed CCB to be prepared to execute relief upon reaching objective. Officer of the outfit which is to relieve 68th is now on way to 68th CP.
0945	14		SIAM - 45th Div - Quietest night in weeks. Small ey patrol dis- persed attempting to enter E part of WILDENGUTH (7837).
0955	15		SIAM * 79th Div - Ey vehicular movement during night from CAMP OBERHOFFEN (0821) to HAGUENAU (0424). All units report quiet night. Ey traffic this morning on road 1222 to 0919 fired on by our arty. Our attack to clear BOIS de OHLUNGEN started at 0730.
0955	16	0920	79th Div - Ey apparently has withdrawn across MODER R. Our trps have no contact this morning. Some movement observed at 0700A from OBERHOFFEN to SCHIRRHOFEN. VI Corps - 0930 - Some indication of movement of 935 Gren Regt of 245 Inf Div to sector of 25 Para Regt. Corps expects ey to renew drive in HAGUENAU area.



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FILE	IN	OUT	TIME	REMARKS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.
0955			17	G-3 - VI Corps - 500th will remain atchd CCA but will reinforce fires of the 103d Div. Maj Herter notified.
1000			18	TWX ISUMS from 103d, 79th, 36th, 45th Divs as of 0600A.
1010			19	Div Arty - Daily Periodic Report #53, 251800A.
1010			20	I&E - Daily News, 26 Jan 45.
1030			21	G-3 - CCB - Mission accomplished 0930. Patrols across river awaiting relief by friendly units.
1030			22	45th Div - G-2 Periodic Report #151, 242400A.
1030			23	7th Army - Information Bulletin No 46, 23 Jan 45. (2 copies)
1030			24	7th Army - CSDIC Report No 706, 24 Jan 45.
1030			25	SHAEP - Weekly Intelligence Summary, 21 Jan 45. (2 copies)
1030			26	7th Army - G-2 Periodic Rpt #163, 242400A.
1045			27	SIAM - Info copy from 36th Div.
1035			28	SIAM - Info copy from 36th Div.
1125			29	SIAM - Info copy from 79 Div.
1130			30	VI Corps - Training Memorandum No 2, 24 Jan 45.
1130			31	VI Corps - Security Instructions No 1, 22 Jan 45 (25 copies)
1145			32	G-3 - CCB enroute to original assembly area vic MOMMENHEIM.
1145			33	SIAM - Info copy from 100th Div.
1255			34	G-3 - Info copy from CCA, 1245A.
1255			35	SIAM - Info copy from 44th Div.
1300			36	G-3 - CCB - Info copy from Col Gillespie regarding movement of CCB to assembly area.
1315			37	G-4 - Daily Memo #47, 26 Jan 45.
1310			38	SIAM - Info copy from 45th Div.
1331			39	14 AD Div Surg - PW's thru clr sta 25 Jan 45.
1335			40	G-3 - CCB A dv CP closed BATZENDORF and CP reopened in WITTER* SHEIM. 25th closed in original assembly area. 68th being re-lieved.
1345			41	SIAM (3rd Div) - Message intercept from 3rd Div at 1105A.
1400			42	SIAM - Message intercepts from 100th Div and 79th Div as of 1230.
1445			43	SIAM - Message intercept from 36th Div as of 1255A.
1500			44	VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No. 494 to include 261200A
1500			45	TWX ISUMS from 79th, 103rd, 36th, 45th, as of 26 1200A
1500			46	79th - G-2 Periodic report no 199 from 242200 to 252200 Jan 45
1500			47	G-3 - CCB Bulk of CCB has closed on the assembly are but part of 68 not able to return to its area.





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TIME	IN	OUT	SEC	TIME	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
1500			48		SIAM - message intercept from 44th Div as of 1250A
1515			49		SIAM - Noon edition news for Jan 26 1945.
1600	1600		50		Dist Intelligence Summary #42, 26 Jan 45.
1600			51		3rd Div - G-2 Periodic Report No. 161, 24 Jan 45.
1605			52		G-3 (CCB) - Last elms CCB closed 1545.
1610			53		SIAM - Message intercepts from 3rd Div as of 1430 and 1500.
1630			54		VI Corps (G-3) - CCB revert to Div control. Closed in assembly area 1545.
1630			55		SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div as of 1530A.
1730			56		SIAM - Message intercepts from 79 and 36 Div
1815			57		CCB 25 Tk Bn - Tank and tank recovery vehicle hit mines at RJ 97382600.
1830			58		SIAM - Message intercepts from 3 and 36 Div.
1925			59		SIAM - Message intercepts from 44th Div at 1750A and 3rd Div at 1815.
1930			60		G-3 (CCB) - CP 500th at UTTWILLER.
1935			61		SIAM - Message intercept from 45th Div at 1730.
2000			62		SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div at 1830.
2030			63		SIAM - Message intercepts from TF HERRIN at 1905A and 36th Div at 1850A.
2045			64		TWX - Isums as of 261800 from 45th, 36th, 79th and 103d Divs.
2045			65		14 AD - Special Orders No. 18, 25 Jan 45.
2045			66		ETOUSA - Battle Experiences No. 41, 20 Jan 45.
2045			67		ETOUSA - Battle Experiences No. 42, 21 Jan 45.
2045			68		7 A - Annex to Cir #5, 21 Jan 45.
2045			69		PWB 7A - Ltr, "Leaflet Record", 25 Jan 45.
2115			70		SIAM - Message intercepts from 36, 100Div.
2120			71		VI Corps - G-2 ISUM No 495 to inc 261800A Jan 45
2145			72		VI Corps - G-2 Periodic Report No 164, 252400A.
2145			73		7th Army - Ltr, "Tactical Rcn Information," 25 Jan 45.
2145			74		7th Army - CSDIC Report #705, 23 Jan 45.
2145			75		7th Army - Interrogation Rpts #737, 738, 739, 740, 23-24 Jan 45.
2145			76		SHAEP - CI Handbook Germany (2 copies).
2145			77		7th Army - G-2 Report #164, 252400A.
2300			78		IPW Team - Number of PWs to 2400A 26 Jan 45.
2325			79		SIAM - Info copy from 45th and 3d Divs.



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IN	OUT	NO.	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, EVENTS, REPORTS, ETC.
0045		1	CCB - PW Information Report 250001 to 252400 Jan 45.
0045		2	SIAM - Evening Edition News, 26 Jan 45.
0300		3	VI Corps - Weather Forecast for 28-29 Jan 45.
0700		4	G-3 - G-3 Report "26, 262400A.
0825		5	IPW - Division Interrogation Report for period 252400A to 262400A Jan 45.
	0900	6	VI Corps - List of Pws Taken 25 Jan 45 (TWX).
0930		7	7th Army - ltr " Proposed plan for screening refugees" 24 Jan
0930		8	45th - G-2 Periodic report from 242400 to 252400A Jan 45
0930		9	VI Corps - ISUM no. 490 to include 270600A Jan 45
0930		10	7th Army - Bulletin N o. 111, allied news eastern european front (5 Copies)
0950		11	Div Arty - Daily Periodic Report No 54, 261800 Jan 45.
1000		12	SIAM - message intercept from 36 Div as of 270815A.
1010		13	Div Surg - IPW Report - Pws thry clearing stations 26 Jan 45
1030		14	I & E News Sheet for 27 Jan 45
1040		15	G-3 CCR notified to have a company of tks to relieve C-25.
1100		16	SIAM - Message Intercepts from 45 and 79 Div
1115		17	103 Div - G-2 - Report on 6 SS and 36 Inf Div.
1205		18	AG - Letter Destruction of Materiel.
1230		19	SIAM - Message intercepts from 45, 3, 79, and TF HERREN.
1300		20	7 Army - Notice on security instructions for replacements.
1300		21	6 AG - Disposition of Air Crews in Emergency Landings.
1300		22	SIAM - Msge intercepts from 45th Div & PW info.
1310		23	SIAM - Message intercepts from 3 Div.
1330		24	G-4 Daily Memo No 48, 27 Jan 45.
1440		25	SIAM - Message intercepts from 36, 3, and TF HERREN.
1445		26	7 Army - Circular No 2, 13 Jan 45.
1445		27	7 Army - Training Memorandum No 4, 19 Jan 45
1445		28	14 AD - Special Orders No 19, 26 Jan 45.
1445		29	14 AD - Letter "Destruction of Materiel", 26 Jan 45.
1445		30	79 Div - G-2 Periodic Report No 200, to 262200A Jan 45.
1445		31	SIA M - Message intercepts from 36 and 100 Div.
1520		32	ISUMs from 101A /B, 45, 79, 36, and 103 Div as of 271200A



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TIME	IN	OUT	SERIAL NO.	DESCRIPTION
1545			33	SIAM - Msg Intercepts from 36, 3 Divs.
1600	1600		34	Distributed G-2 INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY #43, 27 Jan 45.
1610			35	SIAM - Noon edition of the news.
1630			36	VI Corps - ISUM No 497 to inc 271200A Jan 45.
1730			37	SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div as of 1615.
1825			38	G-3 (CCR) - A-47 closed in area at 1630 and completed relief of C-25 at 1830.
1850			39	SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div as of 1815.
1900			40	SIAM - Message intercept from 100th Div as of 1900.
1925			41	SIAM - Message intercept from 45th Div as of 1925.
1940			42	7th Army - General orders number 19 as of 25 Jan 45
1940			43	7th Army - Training memo No. 3 as of 19 Jan 45
1940			44	ETO - Cir 2 "Simplified property accounting" as of 8 Jan 45
1940			45	ETO - Battle Experiences No. 43 as of 22 Jan 45.
2020			46	VI Corps - ISUM No 498 to include 271800A Jan 45.
2040			47	SIAM - Message intercept from 3rd Div as of 1950.
2055			48	TWX - ISUMS from 103, 101 36, 45, 79 Div to include 271800A
2105			49	SIAM - Message intercept from 36th Div as of 2000A.
2105			50	G-3, 79th - A -47 completed relief of C-25 at approximately 2000A.
2130			51	SIAM - Message intercept from 79th Div as of 2000A.
2145			52	G-3 - Messages from Div Arty at 2050 and Mr Oglesby.
2155			53	SIAM - Message intercept from TF HARRIN at 2055A.
2230			54	VI Corps - Ltr, "Morale", 25 Jan 45
2230			55	14 AB - General Orders No 5, 25 Jan 45.
2230			56	14 AB - General Orders No 4, 24 Jan 45.
2230			57	VI Corps - Periodic Report No 165, as of 270800A Jan 45.
2230			58	7 A - Amendment No 20, 16 Jan 45.
2230			59	7 A - Technical Intelligence Summary No 42.
2230			60	7 A - G-2 Report No 165, as of 270600A Jan 45.
2230			61	G-3 CCB - C-25 closed 2200.
0110			1	SIAM - Evening News summary for 27 Dec 45.
0245			2	7 A rmy - Weather forecast for 29 Jan 45.
0700			3	Siam intercepts for nite of 27-28 Jan 45

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